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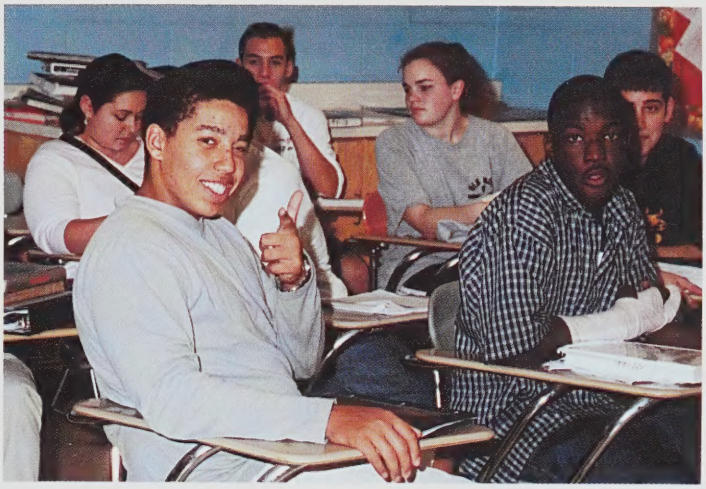
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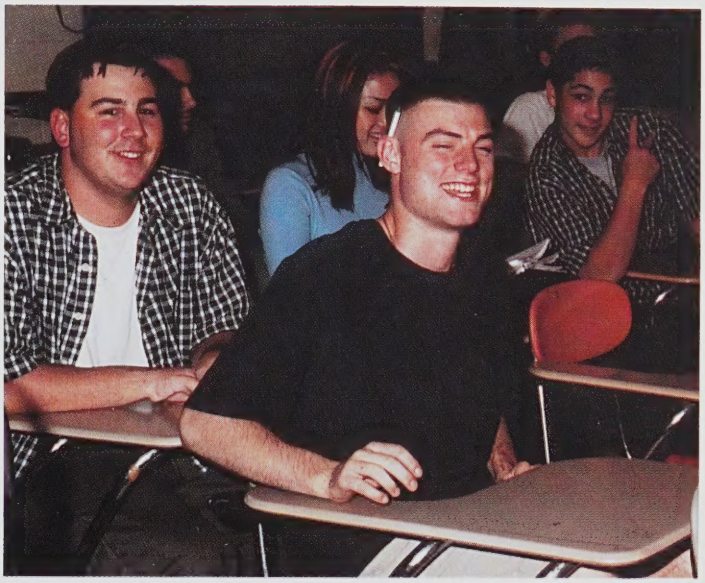










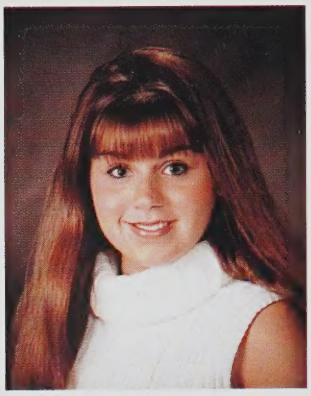


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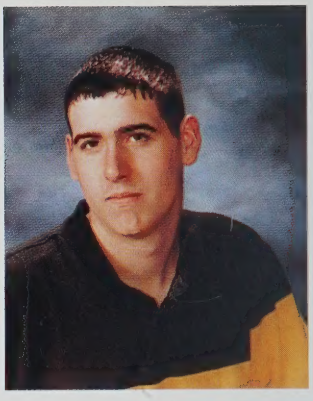
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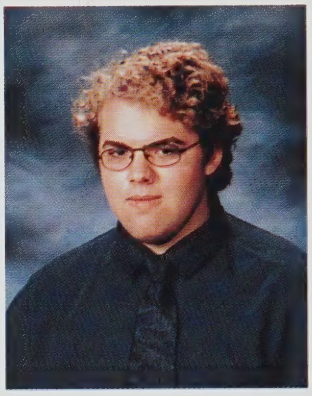
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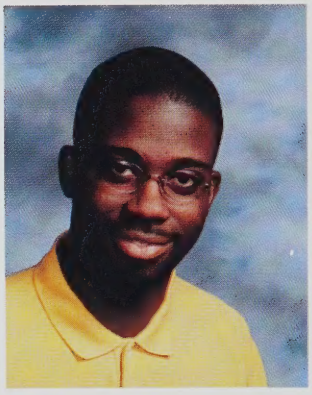
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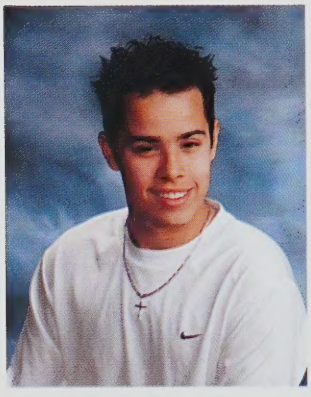
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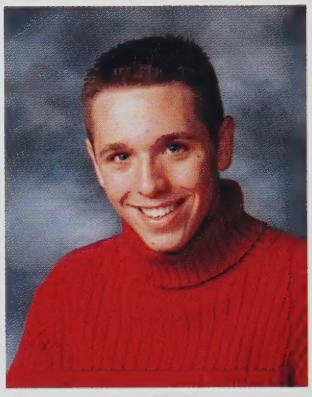
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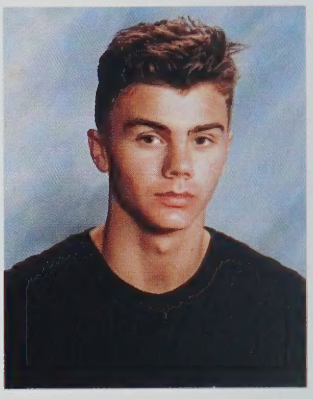
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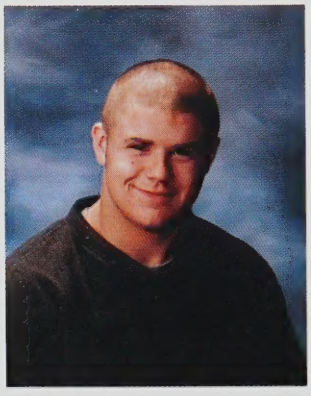
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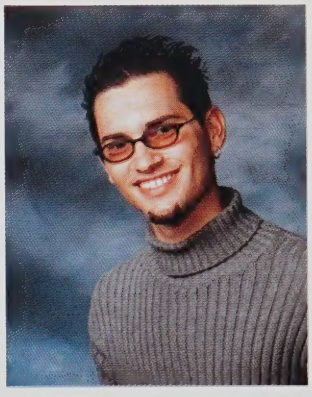
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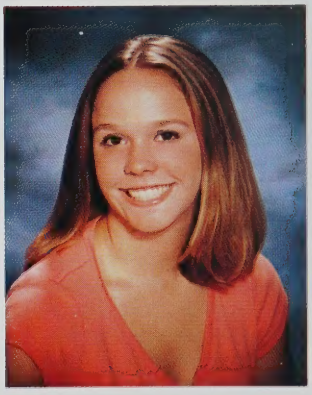
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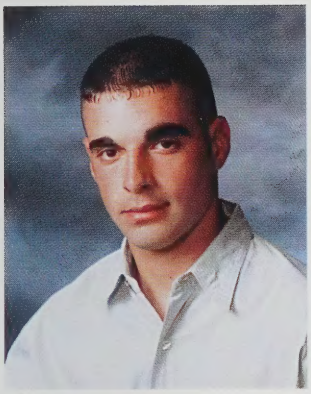
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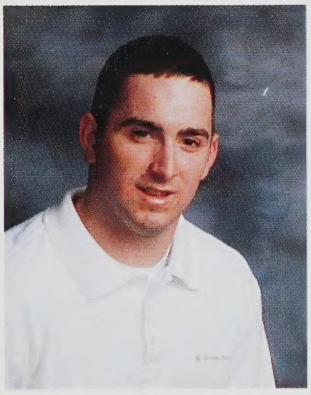
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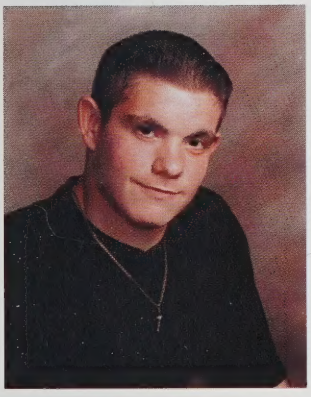
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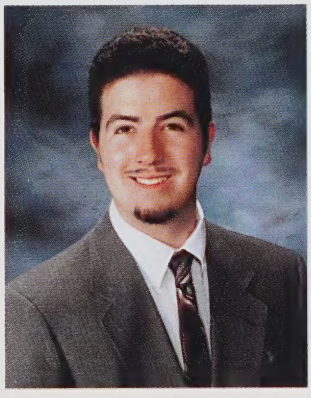
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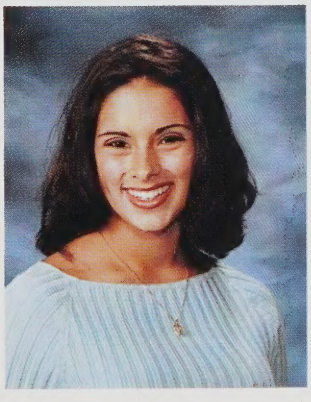
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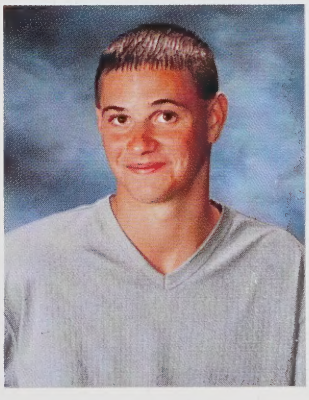
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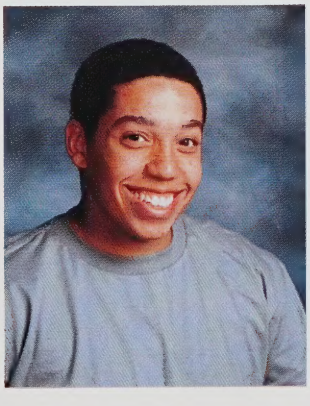
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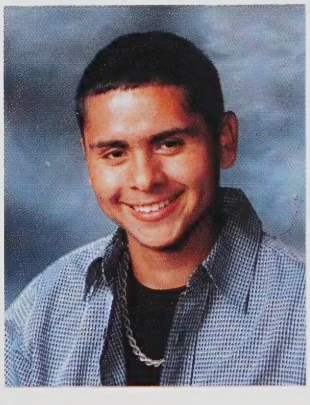
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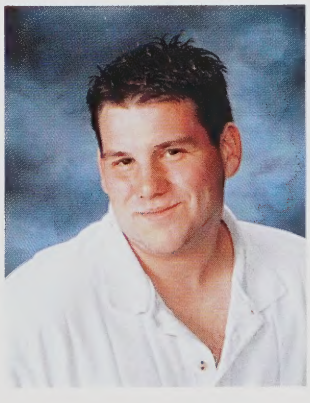
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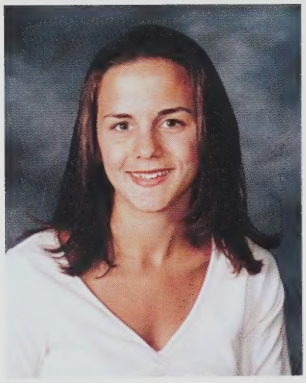
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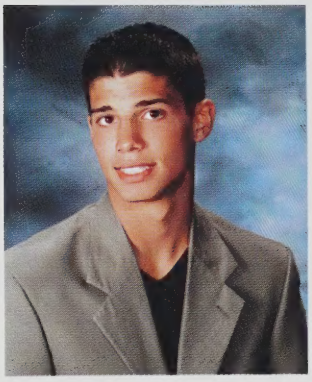
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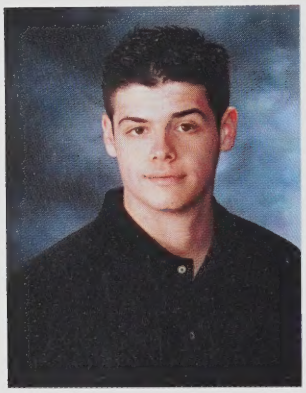
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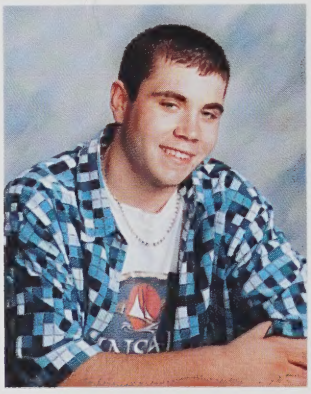
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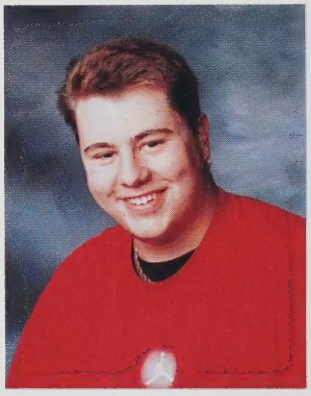
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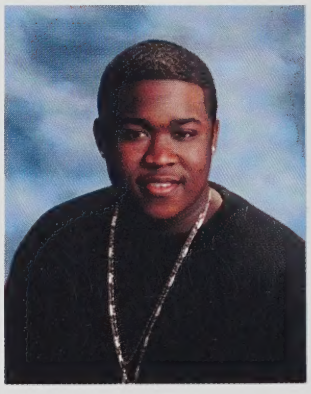
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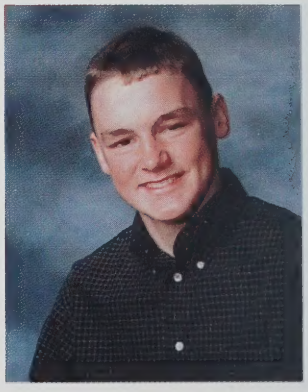
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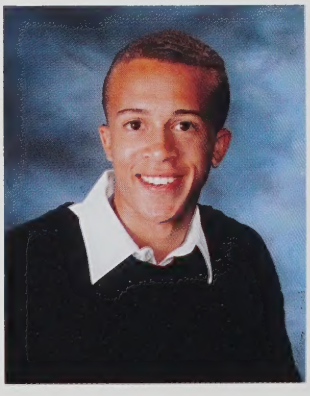
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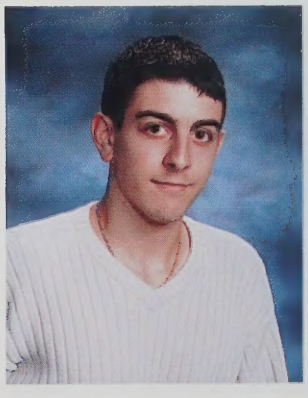
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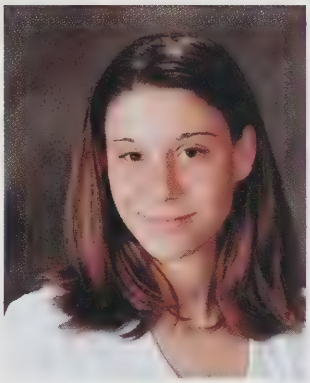
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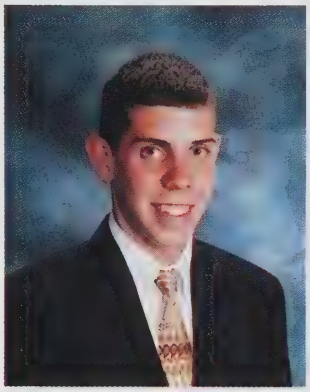
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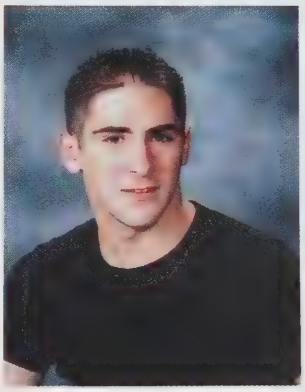
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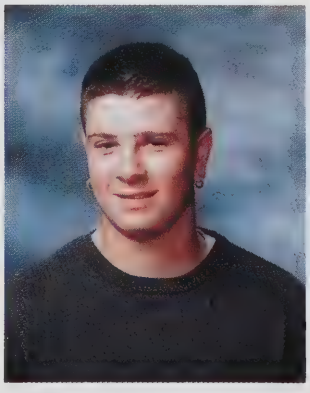
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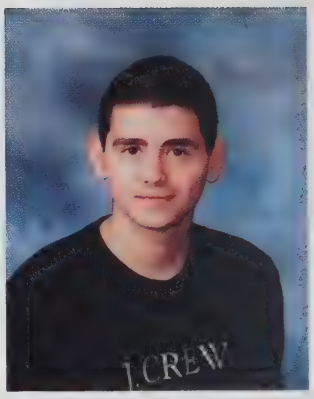
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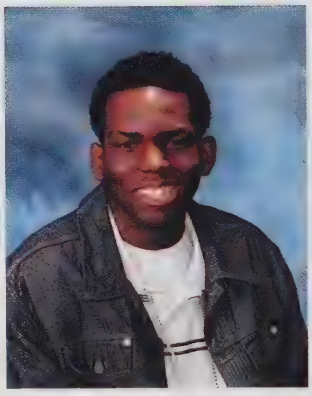
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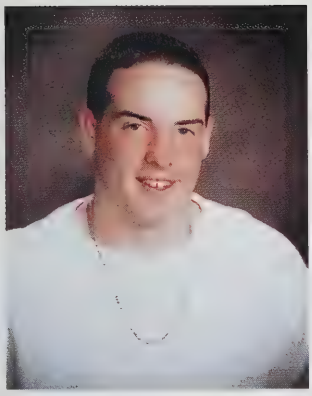
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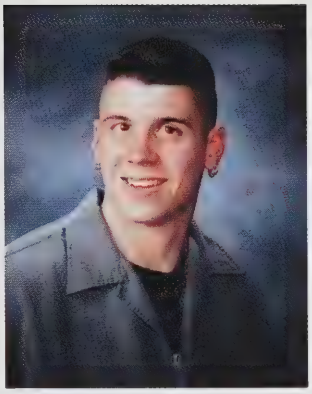
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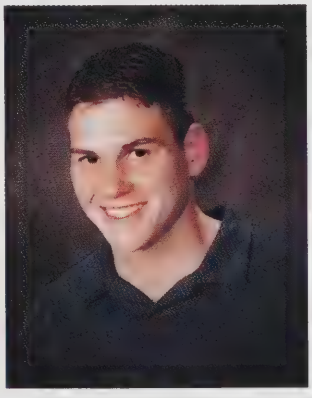
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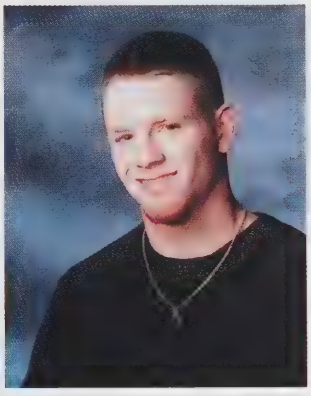
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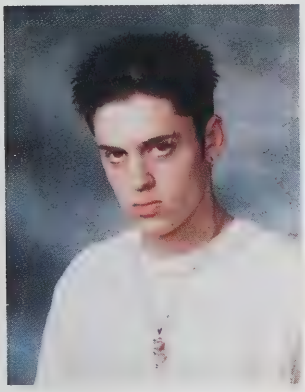
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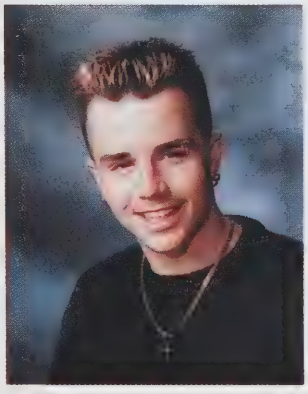
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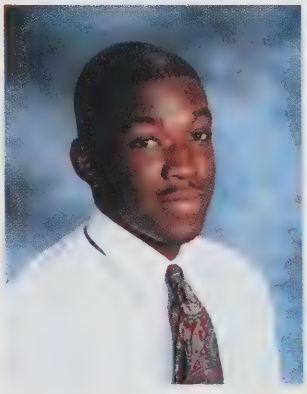
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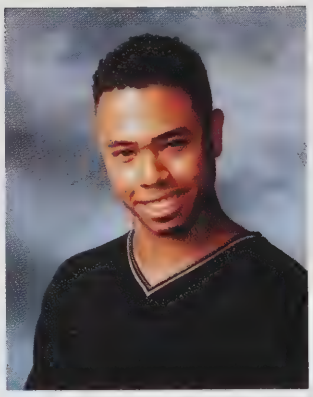
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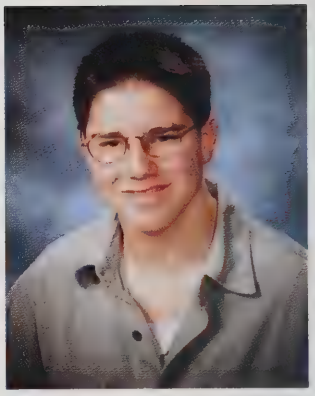
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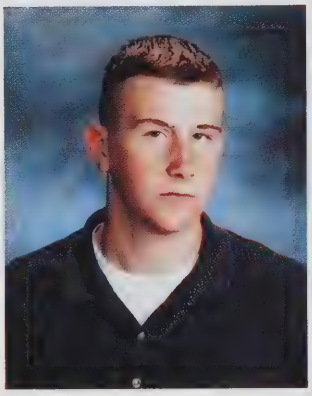
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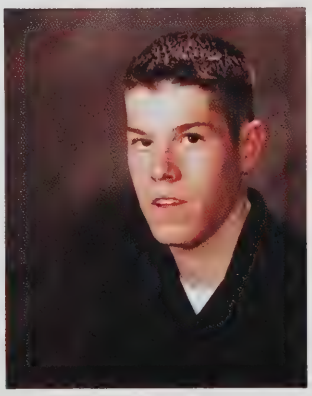
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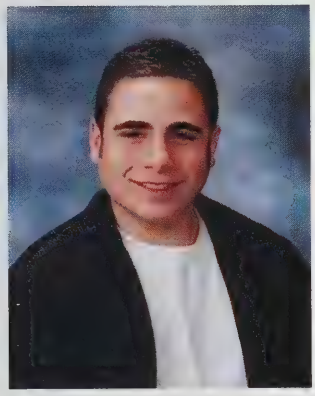
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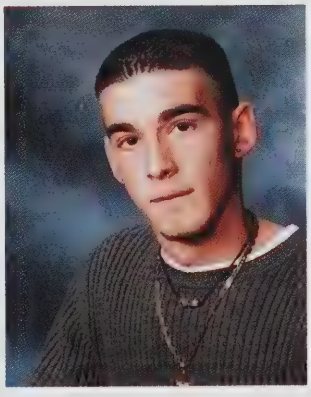
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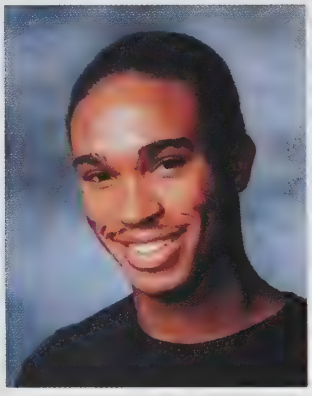
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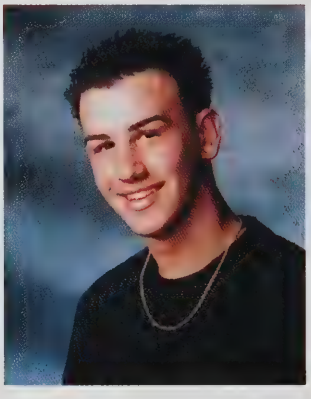
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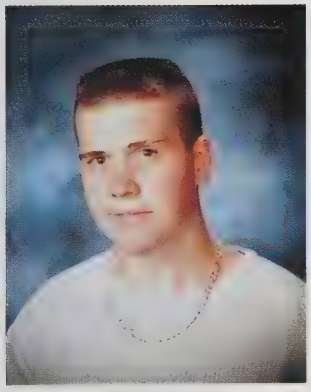
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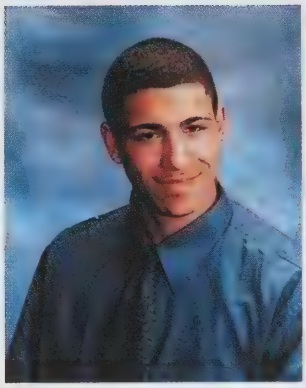
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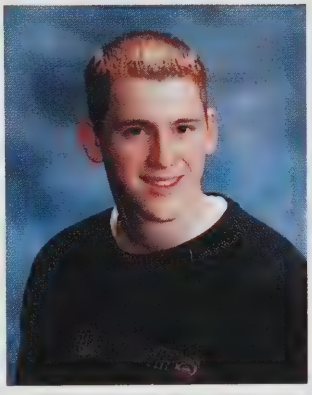
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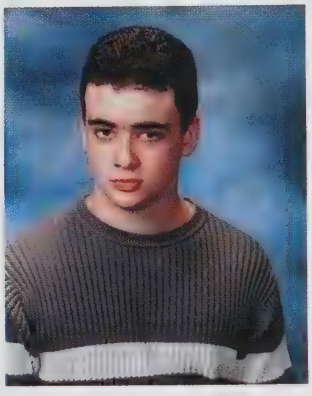
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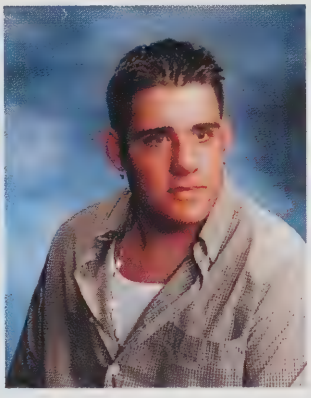
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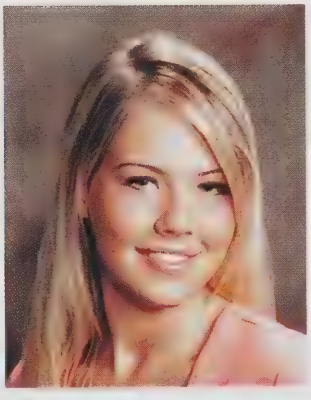
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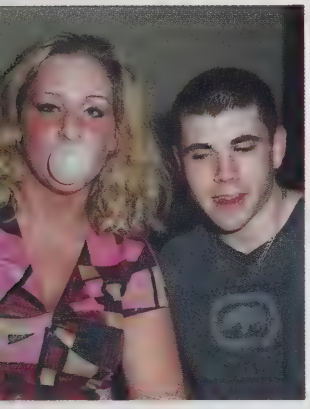


























Eugene John Mochi III

Eugene Congratulations! You Were Always Quite The Boy. Your Accomplishments Were Much To Be Proud Of. Hope You Find All That You Dream Of In The Years Ahead Of You. Love, MOM, DAD, GINA, DANTE



Gary - Your Family Is Very Proud Of You. Good Luck In College.
YOUR FAMILY



As I place these pictures on the page, I cannot believe that 17 years has gone by. I remember the time I found out I was going to have a baby, carrying her, feeling her every move, seeing her for the first time, hearing her first cries, holding her for the first time. I protected her, guided her. Then came the day I placed her in preschool. I held her hand, I kissed her goodbye, told her I loved her and to have a good day holding back the tears because this was the first time I let her go into someone else's hands. She waved goodbye with a huge smile, her blue eyes sparkling brightly, she had not fear. She is going to graduate this year and it is so hard to believe that she will be going out into the world with many mentors behind her. I am very proud of her and the hard work she has accomplished. I wish her the best in the new way of life that she will face now.





Jill - Congratulations On Your Graduation Mom And I Are So Proud Of You - You Have Brought So Much Love Into Our Lives - #8 Will Be Missed At M.H.S. We Love You - MOM, DAD, LESLEY, MAURY





Christen,
We've Watched You Grow Into A Beautiful Young Lady And Can't Be Prouder Of All That You Have Accomplished. Always Continue To Set Your Goals High Because There's Nothing That You Can't Achieve. Love You - Always
MOM, DAD, NICOLE AND NANA.

Jaime,
As A Baby You Filled Us With Joy And Wonder. You Have Turned That Into Happiness And Pride At The Person You've Become.
All Our Love,
MOM, DAD AND ANDREW





Chris, We're Very Proud Of You. All Your Hard Work And Determination Will Bring You Continued Success. Thank You For Being A Wonderful Role Model For Your Brothers! We Love You! MOM, DAD, ERIC AND JOEY

Laura-
The Key To Happiness Is Having Dreams. The Key To Success Is Making Dreams Come True. We Are So Proud Of You And All Your Accomplishments And Wish For All Your Dreams To Come True. We Love You.
MOM AND DAD
Congratulations Love
CHRIS AND ALEX





Joe, We Are Happy To See You Graduate! We Will Always Be There To Support "Your Great Expectations!"
We Love You,
MOM, DAD, PAUL, AND JOLENE

Peter,
We Are Proud Of You And Best Wishes In Your Future Endeavors.
Love,
MOM, DAD,
KELLY,
KEVIN, WESLEY
AND
ALEX





Nora,
Looking Ahead To Great Things To Come! We Are So Proud Of You, Nora!
Love From
MOM, DAD, NICK,
TIM AND
PRINCESS!



Darren, Always Remember That Accomplishments Come In Many Forms. We Have Always Been And Will Continue To Be Proud Of You For Simply Being Our Son. Keep Your Focus And Vision To The Sky And Your Success Will Be Limitless!
Love, MOM AND DAD



"Bring On The World! Things Are Just Ducky Here!"
Natalie, We Are Proud Of All You Have Accomplished. Congratulations!
Love, MOM, DAD, NATHAN AND EMORY

David Wenham
Congratulations! You Are A Wonderful Son And A Terrific Person. We Are So Proud Of You!
Love,
MOM, DAD &
ROBERT



Shawna Spingel &
Casie Carbone
You've Come A Long Way Babes. Congratulations -
Love, MOM AKA AUNTIE LEE





Cindy, Congratulations We Are Proud Of Our Baby Girl. Keep The Good Work And On To Your Dreams. We Wish You The Best Of Luck Of Happiness And Success.
Love Always And Forever MOM & DAD AND LITTLE JEFF

Grace,
It Is Through God's Grace That We Got You And You Have Been A Blessing To Us And To Your Sister And Brother. You Are A Hard Worker And We Are Very Proud Of You. May God Guide You And Direct Your Future Plans And Endeavors. Congratulations! DAD, MOM, MERCY & DAVID & GRANDMA SARAH.
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Roseanne,
Much Love, Health, Happiness And Success In All You Do. You Make Us Very Proud Of You. Remember We Will Always Be Here For You As You Reach For Your Dreams. Congradulations - Love You Always.
MOM, DAD, JENELLE, & MICHAEL

Congratulations **Matt!**
We Are So Proud Of You. You Have Accomplished So Much. Keep Up The Good Work. We Love You!
MOM, DAD, MIKE & MARK





Congradulations **Vanessa,** I Knew You Could Do It You Defied All Odds. I Love You Mom Great Work Were All Very Proud And Waiting For Your Next Success. I Love You MIKE, MICHAEL AND FAMILY

Lauren,
As Our Little Girl You Were Our Dream, As A Young Woman You Are Our Dream Come True.
We Love You With All Our Heart!
MOM, DAD & STEPHEN





Thomas D'Alessandro
Congratulations!
You Have Done Exceptionally Well Thru Difficult Times. I Am Proud Of You.
Best Of Luck And Success And Happiness
Love MIKE AND DIANA

Whasssup **Robby**!!
We've Been Through A Lot Together And I'll Always Be There For You. Congrats On Graduating.
Your Big Brother
KEVIN





Rob, You'll Always Be Our Little Clown You Make Everyone Smile When Your Around. Be Happy In Whatever You Choose To Do. Happy Graduation!
We Love You!
MOM, DAD, KEVIN AND JOHN

Joey, Congratulations! We Are So Proud Of You. We Wish You The Best Of Luck With Continued Success And Happiness. Keep Up The Good Work And Hang On To Your Dreams! We Love You!
Love, DAD, SUE, JENNA & NICHOLAS





Congratulations **Casie** and **Shawna**
You are on your way Get ready world here they come!
Love Mom/Auntie Janice and Michael



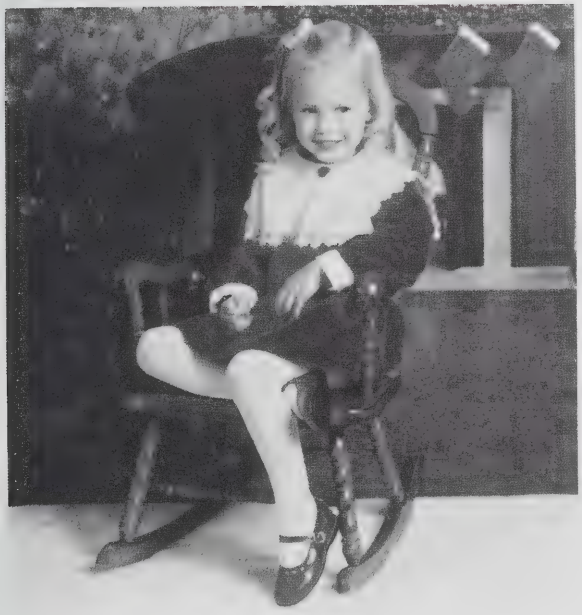
Ben Feigenberg,
You Are The Icing On Our Cake. We Are Proud Of All You Have Accomplished And Of Who You Are. Stay True To Yourself. We Love You. MOM, DAD & EMILY



Jacqui,
You Have Been A Bundle Of Joy, Talent, And Happiness. You're Everything A Mother Could Hope For. You Always Know How To Add Laughter And Fun Into Any Situation. You Bring Light Into A Room. Follow Your Dreams. You Always Have My Unconditional Love & Support! Love, Mom.



Tish,
You Have Always Been A Special Girl, Who Views The World With Wide-Eyed Wonder, And Has Great Enthusiasm For Life, Learning, And Laughter. You Will Continue To Do Wonderful Things In The Future.
Love, Mom, Dad, Meghan & Lauren



Jenna,
Where Have All The Years Gone?
We Are All So Proud Of You!
May Success And Happiness Be Yours.
We Love You!



Elizabeth,
Good Luck In College Elizabeth. We Love You So Much!
Mom, Dad, Christine, Kenny, + Phillip
XOXO

Congratulations **Shawna,** You Did It! We Know It Hasn't Always Been Easy, But Look What You Can Accomplish When You Work Hard. We Are All So Proud Of You, And We Love You Very Much. Love Mom, Dad, Stacey & Brian xo





Maria, Congratulation: My Baby Is All Grown Up. Now You Are Going Off To College. We Are Very Proud Of You. You Are Not Only My Daughter You Are My Best Friend. We Love You, Mom & Dad

Stephen, Congratulations On All Your Accomplishments. May Your Future Be Bright With Opportunity And May All Your Dreams Come True.

We Love You
Mom, Dad & Loren





Rachel, You'll Always Be Our Baby Girl. Congratulations! We Love You!
Mum And Danny

Dennis, This Is The Best Time Of Your Life, Beginning With Today. You Have Made Us Proud, Happy Parents Because Of Who You Are And We Thank You For Giving Us Laughter And Smiles All These Years. Continue This Journey Into Adulthood With Goals To Reach And Memories To Create. Love You Forever, Your Family Mom, Dad, Nick, Jodi & Greg





Luis, We Are Very Proud Of You. Always Remember That You Can Do Anything That You Set Your Mind To. Follow Your Dreams. Your Family Will Always Be Behind You For Support And Love. Keep Up The Good Work! With Love, Mom, Jessica, Krystal And Family.

Congratulations, **Gia.** I Wish You Success & Happiness For Your Future. Love You, Ma





Beau, You Have Given Us So Many Special Memories. We Are Very Proud Of You. Chase The Dream!
Love, Mom, Dad
And Joe
("To Strive, To Seek, To Find" - Tennyson)



Natalie,
You Have Always Been Our Sweet Little Angel. Now You Are Growing Into A Lovely, Responsible Young Lady And We Are So Proud Of You. You Will Always Have A Special Place In Our Hearts And Within Our Family As The Only Girl. We Will Always Be Behind You. Congratulations - We Love You Very Much.

Love,
Mom And DaDa

Kristi, Since The Day You Were Born You Have Been The Sunshine Of Our Lives. Words Can Not Express How Much We Love You Or How Proud We Are Of You. Congratulations Honey

Love,
Mom & Dad





Maryanne,
May The Good Lord Be With You Down Every Road You Roam And May Sunshine And Happiness Surround You When You're Far From Home May You Grow To Be Proud, Dignified, And True And Do Unto Others As You'd Have Done To You Be Courageous And Be Brave And In Our Hearts You'll Always Stay Forever Young . . Forever Young!
Congratulations! We Love You! The Fam



Brad,
If Good Character And Hard Work Are The Formula To Success In Life, You Certainly Will Succeed! We Are So Proud Of You Love Dad Mom Ross & Jill



Heather, I Hope You Have A Life Filled With Joy And Laughter, Surrounded By People Who Bring You As Much Happiness As You Have Brought Me.

I Love You Mom

Heather,
I Wish You Many Years Of Love And Success. Always Strive For The Best Because You Deserve It. You Are, And Always Will Be One Of The Brightest Lights Of My Life. I Love You Always! Your Favorite Auntie Linda



Adam,
Congratulations! You Have Given Us Many Proud Moments. We Wish You The Best Of Luck With Continued Success And Happiness.
Love, Mom, Dad, Katie, Donlyn And Jennie.
P.S. SOS

Renee, Words Can Not Express The Joy You Have Given Us. From The Little Girl To The Young Lady You Have Become. Life Is Not Always Fair, Don't Stop And Look Behind You, Keep Moving Forward. I Know You Will Be Successful In Whatever You Choose. We Love You And Will Always Be There For You. Were So Proud Of You. Love Nana And Papa.





Keri, You Finally Made It. Good Luck In The Future.
Love Ma, Dad, Shawna And Eric

Francesco,
You Have Completed Our Family. From Day 1, You Have Kept Us On Our Toes With Your Leadership Qualities. You Are So Energetic And Full Of Surprises. You Never Cease To Amaze, Perplex, & Surprise Us. May Your Road Ahead Be Full Of Great Achievements & Prosperity. May God Bless You & Keep You Safe.
Love Mama, Papa & Marianna





Rebecca, Congratulations On All Your Accomplishments. We Are All So Very Proud Of You. May Success And Happiness Follow You In The Years To Come As You Pursue Your Dreams. Love Is Caring, Love Is Happiness, Love Is Disappointment, Love Is You, We Love You Always! Love Mom And Dad

Christine, You Are The Best Daughter A Parent Can Ask For. We Wish You All The Best In Life And That All Your Dreams & Hopes Come True
All Our Love
Mom, Dad, Luis, Jim





Michael, Congratulations! We Are Quite Proud Of You! May More Great Accomplishments Come Your Way - Just Follow Your Dreams Everyday! We Love You! Mom, Dad & Heidi

Kerri Marie Galvin
Congratulations! We Are Proud Of You Kerri, The Future Awaits You, Go Forward And Enjoy Every Moment. Love Always, Dad And Mom, Chris, Courtney And D.J.





Hope,
Congratulations! You Have Been Our Pride And Joy Since The Day You Were Born. We Are Very Proud Of You And All Your Accomplishments. Chase Your Dreams, The Best Is Yet To Come.
We Love You!
Mom And Dad

Eleni, We Are Very Proud Of You. Congratulations For Your Accomplishments And May God Be With You! We Love You Dad, Mom, And Spiridoula





Steven Musto, Congratulations! We Wish You The Best Of Luck With Continued Success And Happiness.
Love, Mom, Dad And Deanna

Shannon DeAngelo Congratulations For Making It Through These Past 4 Years, We Are So Proud Of You! Good Luck On All Your Future Plans, Make Them The Best. We'll Support You Always.
Love Mom, Dad, Jaclyn, Tarik And Sarah





Ashlee, Congratulations To Our Special Daughter. We Are So Proud Of You - Follow Your Dreams, & Be Happy. We Love You
Mom Dad & Lou

Danny, Congratulations On Your Many Accomplishments. You Have Made Us Very Proud Of You And We Wish You Continued Success In Your *Goals.*
Love Mom, Dad & Mike





Marjorie,
There's No One Quite Like You With Your Warm And Thoughtful Way . . . There Are No Words To Tell You How Much You Mean Each Day You're Always Such A Pleasure And A Special Joy To Know, And Your Graduation Is The Perfect Time For Me To Tell You So Congradilation And Success Always Benoit

"**Simon,** May All Your Future Dreams Come True And We Are Proud Of You Mom, Dad, Christina"





Dear **Aimee,**
From The Moment You Were Born You've Been The Kind Of Daughter A Mother Dreams Of. It's Been Such A Joy To Watch You Learn & Grow Over The Years. I Am So Proud Of All Your Hard Work And Wonderful Accomplishments Throughout Your School Career.

You Are Truly Beautiful Inside And Out And Have Such A Sweet, Loving, Unselfish Heart. I Know You Will Continue To Make Me Proud In The Years To Come. Good Luck In Everything You Do, Sweetheart. I Will Always Be There For You No Matter What.

All My Love Forever,
Mom xxoo

Nikki
You Have Brightened Our Lives Since You Were Born. We Are So Proud Of All Your Accomplishments. You Are & Always Will Be The Light In Our Lives. Reach For Your Dreams, They Are Yours For The Taking. We Love You & Are So Very Proud Of You
Love You!
Mom, Dad & Jenny





B.J.
You Have Always Made Me Proud Of You In All That You Have Accomplished Thus Far In Your Life. But I Have Never Been As Proud Of You As I Am Today As You Graduate And Move On To The Next Phase Of Your Life.
Love - Mom -

Congratulations, **Katie**
Love Mom, & Dad





Congratulations! **Travis** We Are So Proud Of Who You Are.
This Is Just The Beginning Of Many Exciting Times. We Love You! Mom, Dad, Heather, Erik And Amber And Grampa.

Lauren, Congratulations You Are Loved More Everyday! Best Of Luck To Our Foopie. Love Mom & Dad And Big Sister X 3





Lisa,
We Are So Proud Of All Your Hard Work In Everything Through All Your Years Of School. We Love You And Know You Will Do Great In College And The Future.
Love Mom & Dad

Congratulations, **Chris!** We Are So Proud Of You. May All Of Your Dreams Come True. Love, Mom, Dad, Brittany And Alexandria.





Michelle,
You're The Best!!! Congratulations And Good Luck!
Love, Mom & Dad

Congratulations, **Mish!** Your Hard Work Has Paid Off. Your Corner Office Is Waiting For You! Who's Better Than You? Much Love, Mom, Dad, Venessa & Greg





Ricky, You've Been A Good Kid, You'll Be A Great Man! We Are Very Proud Of You, And We Love You!
Mom, Dad, Tim & Julie

Chinyere, Her Name Means God's Gift. A Gift From God Is A Blessing That Makes One Rich And He Adds No Sorrow With It. Our Prayer For Her Is That She Continues To Be A Blessing To Others.





- Alex Lessis -
Believe In Yourself; You Have What It Takes To Turn Your Dreams Into Reality.
With Much Love From Your Proud Parents.

Abby - Thank You For Making Us Such Proud Parents. May All Your Wonderful Dreams Come True. Love Mom & Dad xoxo





David, Jr. - We Are So Proud To Be Your Parents. Good Luck In Your Future And Be Happy.
We Love You - Mom & Dad

Stefanie, Congratulations On All Your Accomplishments. We Wish You All The Best Of Luck With Continued Success And Happiness. Love, Mom, Dad, And Paul Jr.





Adam, If We Could Turn Back The Clock, We Would See A Little Boy Who's Love For Life Shows Through His Smiles. Keep Your Sense Of Humor, Choose Wisely, Follow Your Heart, And Success Will Find You.
Love Mom And Dad

Jenna, You Are A Precious Joy And Sparkle In Our Lives. You Have Always Shined Like A Star. Life Is Like A Stage For You And We Know You Will Continue To Bring Happiness And Joy To Those That You Meet. We Know That Your Life Will Always Shine Bright! Jenna, Congratulations. We Love You So Much.
Love, Mom, Dad, & Kate





Andrea,
We Are So Proud Of You!
Follow Your Dreams
.
We'll Be Right Behind You.
We Love You!
Mom, Jen, Nana, And Auntie

Anthony,
We Are So Proud Of You! Believe In Yourself And Follow Your Dreams.
Love,
Mom & Dad





Sabrina,
The Unassuming Way You Are . . . You Will Always Be Our Angel From Afar.
Go And Make Your Dreams Come True, Knowing Along The Way We Love You Through And Through!
All Our Love,
Mom, Dad And Jacqueline

Shannon, Congratulations We Are Very Proud Of The Both Of You. We Wish You All The Best Of Luck In Your Future Plans. Hope All Your Dreams Come True
Love Mom, Danielle, Stacie & Joey





Edwin,
Congratulations And Best Wishes On Reaching A Milestone In Your Life. We Can't Believe You Are Graduating From High School. We Wish You Much Success And Happiness In Everything You Endeavor And Choose To Be In Life.
Good Luck!!! Baby Boy, Reach For The Stars! And We Love You Very Much.
Love
Mom & Dad

Congratulations **BJ** On All Of Your Accomplishments. I Wish You All The Luck In What Ever You Choose To Do In The Future
Love Dad





Shelley,
Congratulations And Continued Success In All Your Future Plans. Be Happy And Keep Smiling. You're The Best!
Love, Mom & Dad



Congratulations **Stephen.** You've Always Made Us Happy. We Are So Proud Of You And Your Accomplishments. We Wish You Happiness And Success.

Love, Mom & Dad
Joseph & Timothy



Marie,
This Is Just The Begining! We Are So Proud Of You.

Love, Mom, Dad, Mandy
Billy & Georgie



Jason D. Cardoso
Congratulations! You Have Given Us Many Proud Moments.
We Wish You The Best Of Luck With Continued Success And Happiness

Love, Mom And Dad.



The Lord Truly Blessed My Life When You Entered This World **Melanie.** You Possess Many Talents, And I Am So Proud Of The Young Woman You Have Become. You Were Always Daddy's Little Girl, And Had He Lived To See This Day, He Would Be Overwhelmed With Love And Pride As I Am. You're Everything A Mother Could Desire In A Daughter. You're My Heart Melanie, And I Love You.



Kristen,
We Are SO Proud Of You And All Your Accomplishments. Remember, Always Reach For Your Dreams!!

Love,
Mom, Dad
&
Garrett



Jon,
The Small Boy Playing With T.M.N.T.'s Has Become A Young Man Playing As A Medford Mustang.

We Wish For You The Courage Always To Be Yourself And Never Stop Searching + Striving To Reach Each New Goal In Your Own Unique Way. We Are Very Proud Of You And Will Always Love You - Mom & Dad



Jillian,
Our Little "Jilly Bean" Has Grown Up Into A Lovely Lady. We Love You!
Mom & Dad



Michael, Within You Lies The Power To Make Your Life Whatever You Want It To Be. You Truly Are Uniquely Gifted. We Love You And Are So Proud. Hugs, Mom, Dad & Colleen.

Erica,
Congratulations! We Are So Proud Of You. Wishing You Lots Of Luck And Happiness. Keep Up The Good Work. Reach For Those Stars!
Love You,
Mom, Dad, Renee And Justin
"Class Of 2002"



Jon,
Thanks For Being A "Great" Big Brother. Have Fun In College! We Love You And Are Proud Of You - Eric, Kevin + Jenn



Jenna - We Are So Very Proud Of You And Love You Very Much. We Wish You The Best That Life Has To Offer You. Keep Smiling, Dancing And Dreaming. Enjoy Life. We Love You. Love, Mom And Derek (And Marcel, Too!).





Congratulations **Alex.** We're Proud Of You. Good Luck In The Future. We're Behind You All The Way. Love Mom Dad Jen And Amanda.



Douglas Griffin Beltran
Congratulations, MHS
Class Of 2002!
"The Future Depends On
What We Do In The
Present." - Gandhi
Best Wishes For Every
Success.
Doug, We're So Very
Proud Of You!
Love, Mom, Dad, Casey &
Smokey.



Good Luck Seniors From Your Families

Michael,
We Want You To Know That We Are Very Proud Of You. We Hope You Succeed In Making Your Dreams A Reality. We Hope You Will Always Be The Best That You Can Be And Never Sell Yourself Short.
Love Always Mom & Dad





Matthew,
I Am So Proud Of You. You Have Been A Joy In My Life. I Alway Be Here For You.
Love
Mom

Jonathan We Are So Proud Of You, You Have Come So Far And We Know Your Future Will Be As Bright As Your Past.
Best Of Luck
Love
Mom, Nana,
Heather And
Michael





Thomas - Through The Years You Have Shone Brighter Than Any Star - Keep On Shining - Love
Mom

Michael Congratulations! May Success And Happiness Follow You Throughout Your Life. Follow Your Dreams, You Have The Talents To Achieve Them. We All Are So Very Proud Of You And Will Always Be There For You.





Mark,
We Were Blessed With The Most Cutest And Lovable Little Boy. You Have Brought Joy To Our Lives. You Now Have The Knowledge And Skill To Do Whatever You Choose. Be Proud Of Your Accomplishments Because We Are. God Bless You Always Mark!! Love You.
Mom & (Dad RIP)

Arthur
Continue To Reach For Your Dream Your Family Is So Proud Of You Congratulations On All Of Your Accomplishments.
We Love You
Mom, Dad, Marlene And Matthew





Leigh-Ann,
"To My Shining Star"
Congratulations!!!
I Am So Proud Of You.
Love Always & Forever . . . Mom

Allison, All Your Hard Work And Endless Effort In High School Have Made Us So Proud. Congratulations On Your Accomplishments!
Love Mom & Dad





Mark, Congratulations On Growing Up To Be Such A Wonderful Son, We Are So Proud Of You. We Hope All Your Dreams Come True.
Love Mom, Dad & Holli

Theresa,
We're All So Proud Of You And Wish You The Very Best In Life!





Caitlin
Congratulations! We Are Very Proud Of You. We Wish You A Lifetime Of Success And Happiness. Love
Mom, Dad, Jeffrey, Andrea, Rachel and Joseph

Daniel, from your first step - your took off running!! We have watched you struggle and succeed in every dream. Your hard work, motivation and determination have always been your keys to accomplishing your goals. Never stop dreaming and strive for success and happiness. We love you and are proud of you. Andrea, Mom and Dad.





Valerie, I Am So Proud Of You And All You Have Accomplished Over The Years. Good Luck To You In College And In The Future. You Are A Beautiful Young Lady. I Love You So Much. Love, Mom

Tonisha,
Congratulations! Were So Proud Of You. Love Mom, Papa, Cutie, Chester And The Girls.





Rodelyne,
Everyone In The Family Is Proud Of You. We Pray God For You Every Day So You Can Achieve Your Goals In Life. You Have Given Us Many Goods Memories In Life. We Wish You Success And Continuity.
Love, Mom, Dad, Brother And Sister


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COUSINS
NICE TEETH



Jacqueline Melissa Patterson

. a very long name for a very sweet, and quite petite, lovely young woman. Your smile changes people's worlds, and the twinkle in your eyes in this picture is still there, all the time, for those you love. Your Daddy adored and treasured you, and you should always know that you have your own special Angel, named Michael, with you every minute of your life. If you teach, the children's lives will be enriched, because of you. On whatever roads you choose to travel, I pray that peace, happiness and love are with you, always. God Bless You, Jackie.

All our love, Mum, Lynne, Amy and Tim



Nick,

You've Been A Pleasure Since Day 1. The Warm Caring Smile & Sensitive Person That You Are Will Carry You Far. We Wont Have To Worry That You Wont Do Well. But You Never Have To Worry About Asking For Help Either.

Good Luck
We
Love You
MOM & DAD

Brigit, You Have Been A Joy Ever Since I First Held You In My Arms. As You Got Older I Realized Nobody Needs To Be Perfect As Long As There's Plenty Of Love. Love Always.
MOM DAD JOEY CINZIA





Laura Williams,
We Love You And Believe In You Always.
MAMA & DADDY

Elizabeth Brickley

When You Were Born I Was So Proud. Today You Make Me Proud Because Of All Your Achievements. I Love You Very Much. I Wish You Love, Happiness And Health In The Future.
Love MOM





Jacqui,
Can't Wait To Come To Visit You At UConn.
Good Luck Jacqs!
Love, LINDS

When We started...





When they were little freshmen...





Roberto supervises.







Rachel, Natalie, and Maria-Charlie's Angels!


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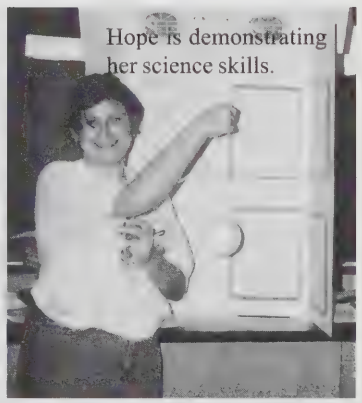

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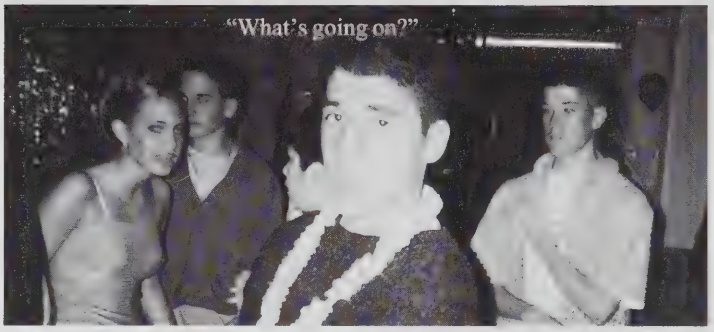

Jeff is so little, what happened?




Hope is demonstrating her science skills.

Freshmen Year





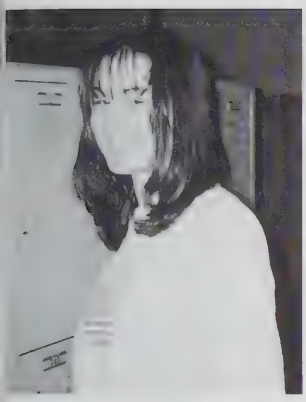




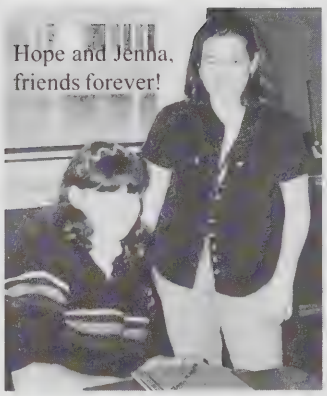









The girls clean up
the school.


Hope and Jenna,
friends forever!


Andrea with hair?








"No, it's mine."

















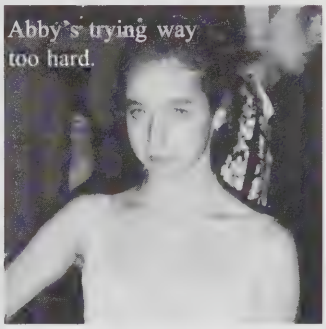




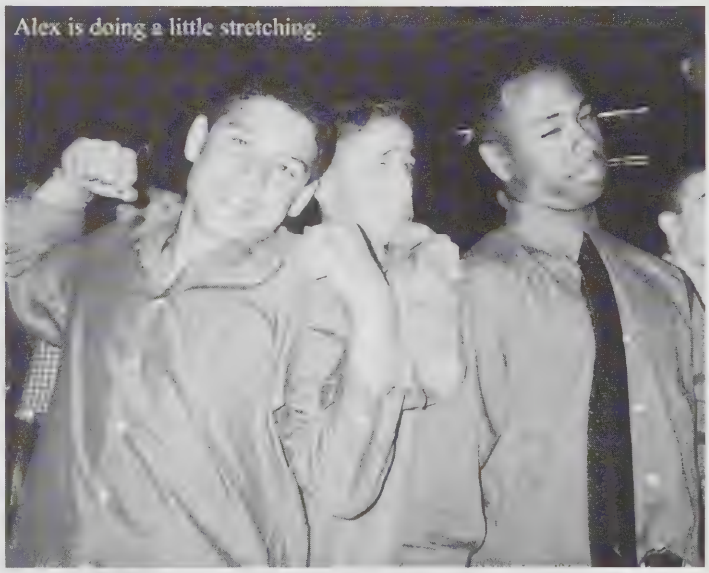
Freshmen Semi-Formal Dance






Abby's trying way
too hard.




Alex is doing a little stretching.


"You know you want me!"








Jeff, Edwin, Javier, and BJ serving hot chocolate




"Do something!"



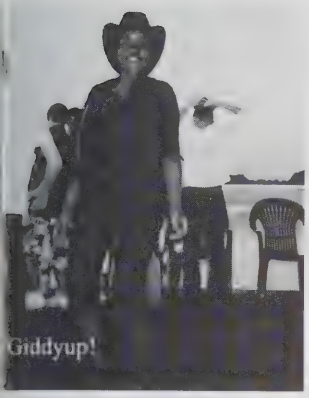







"Don't take a picture of me!"


Jill, Vanessa, and Leah in the lobby.


Giddyup!







Renee and ??








Be afraid.





Big Kahuna!



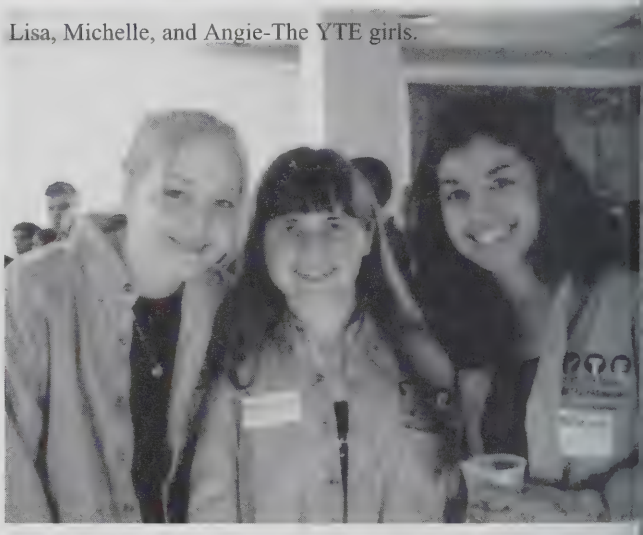


Lisa and Kristen smiling in school.



Lisa, Michelle, and Angie-The YTE girls.



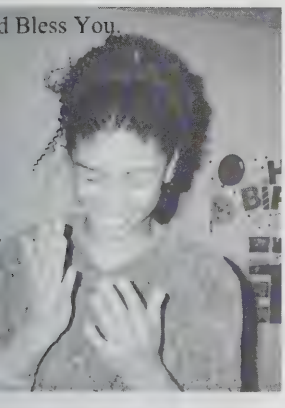








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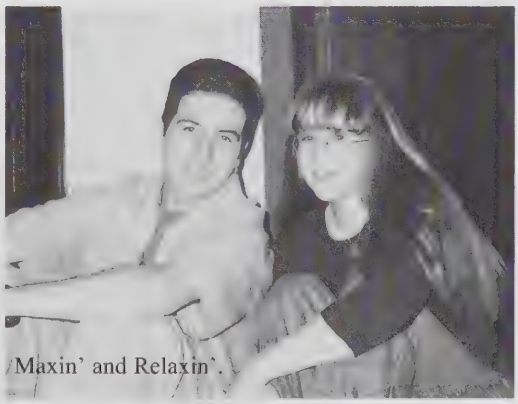





Girl's lacrosse
sunning at the
Boat Club



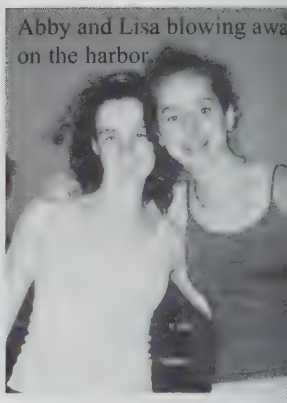



Maxin' and Relaxin'.

Boat Cruise







Abby and Lisa blowing awa
on the harbor.







"What's on her head?"





Sophomore Cruise



Big Smiles!

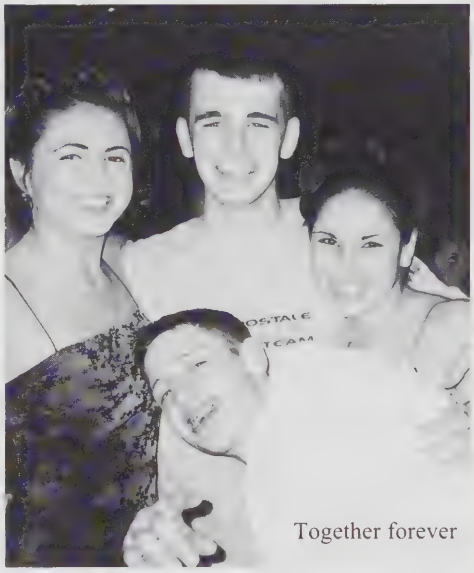








I red at the end of our semi



Together forever



Ulanday, Dan Tringali, and Dave Wenham all dressed up!

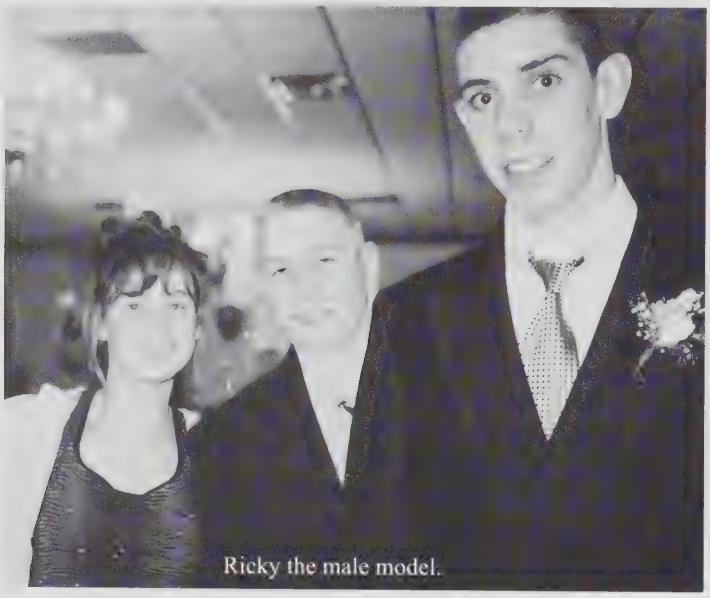






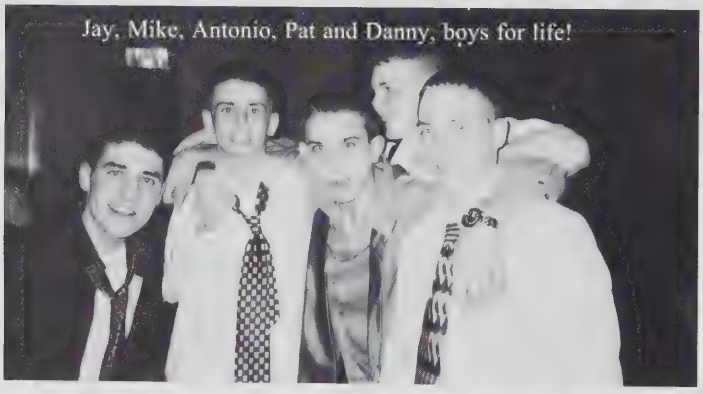






Ricky the male model.



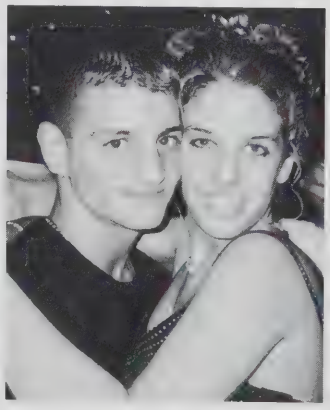


Jay, Mike, Antonio, Pat and Danny, boys for life!





Too close for comfort.



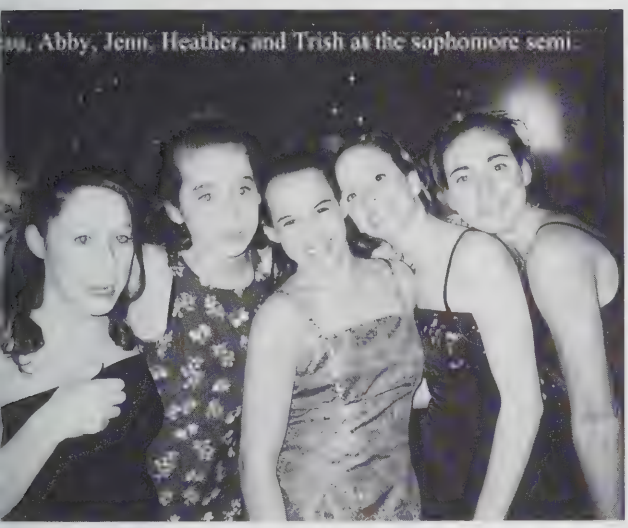


The line up.








Abby, Jenn, Heather, and Trish at the sophomore semi


"AHHHHHH"





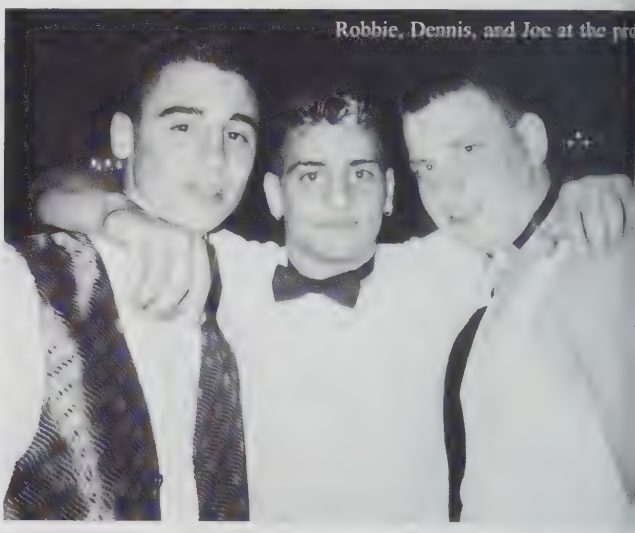



"Ha-Ha!"







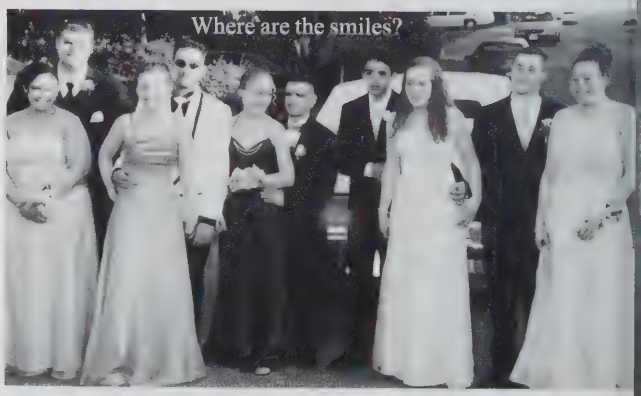

Robbie, Dennis, and Joe at the pr







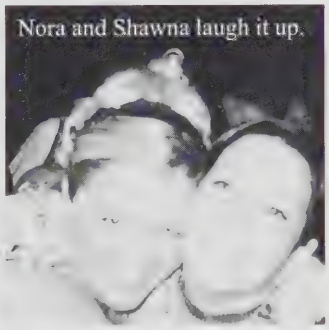

Keyena the center of attention


Where are the smiles?

Junior Prom






Nora and Shawna laugh it up.


Dancing it up!



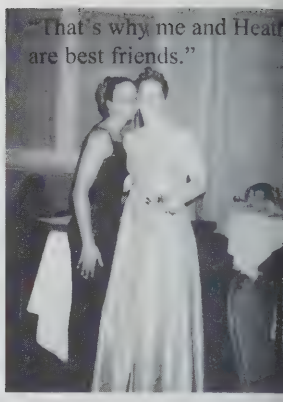

Christen and Nikki smiling at the prom.




Heather and Dave all hugs!




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"That's why me and Heat
are best friends."


"Say Cheese!"






"Get away from me!"


"Hey baby!"





Junior Prom









"We want you."





Prom King and Queen, Jason and Chin.













T s loves Mr. Ross, alittle too much!





"I've fallen and I can't get up."







"Here's to the night's we felt alive
Here's to the tears you knew you would cry
Here's to goodbye tomorrow's gonna come
too soon."









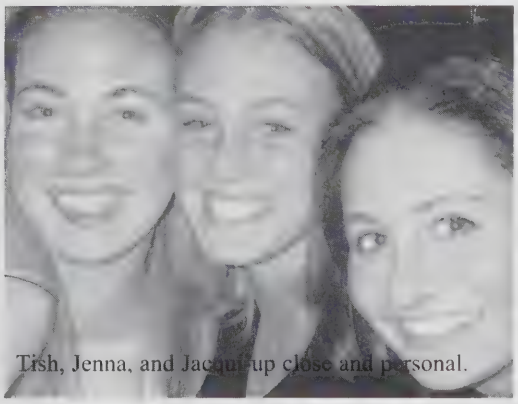


"Where [illegible] come from?"



"I'm seasick."





Tish, Jenna, and Jacqui up close and personal.



Chrisiina and Jason, always together.









Jason, that's not Christina!







Stephanie and Joanna [illegible] friends.







Tish and Jill smiling away!











"I know I am lush."





Senior Year











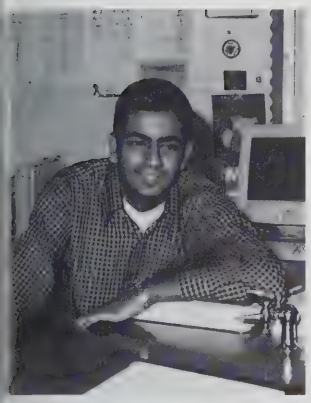




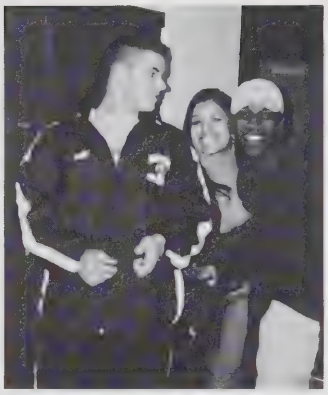
"As we go on, we remember
All the times we had together
And as our lives change, come whatever
We will still be, friends forever"

Vitamin C

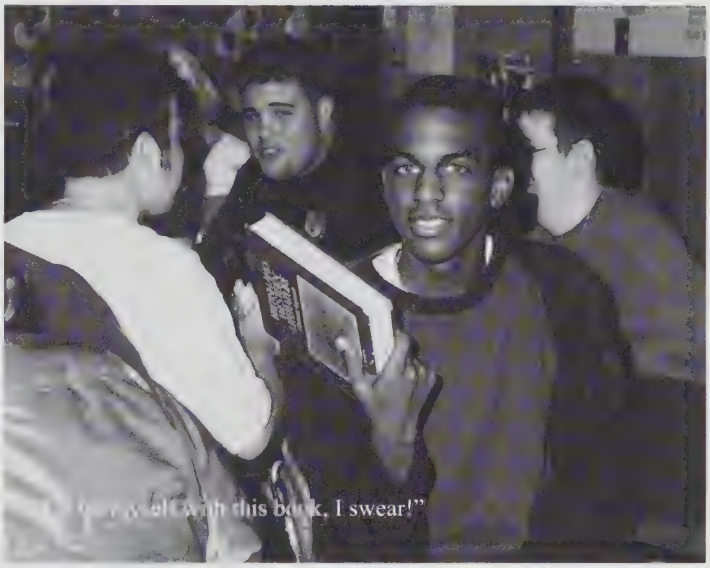












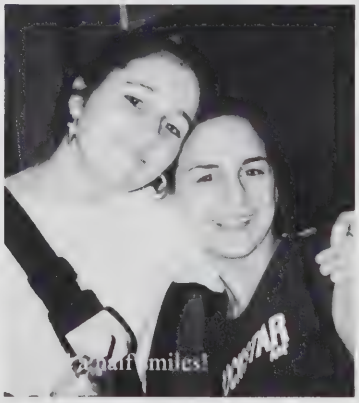
"I swear!"



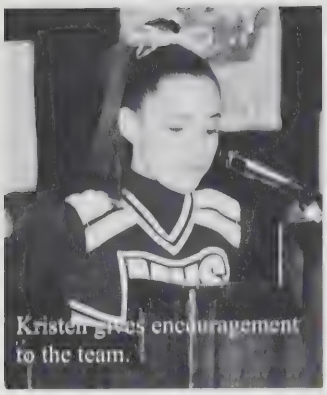
Yum







Senior Year


Kristen gives encouragement to the team.






Tiger Woods or Darren Foley?







Gimme a smooch!


"I woke up this morning..."











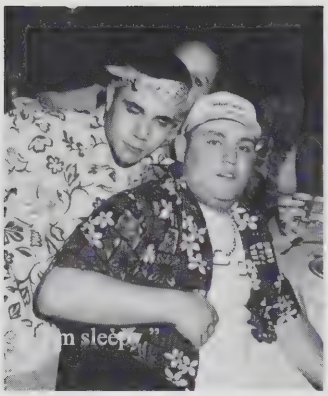






"Life goes very quick, and if you don't stop and look around every once in a while, you could miss it."

Ferris Bueller





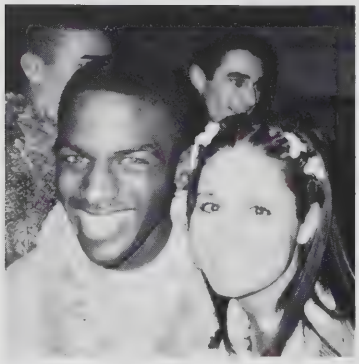












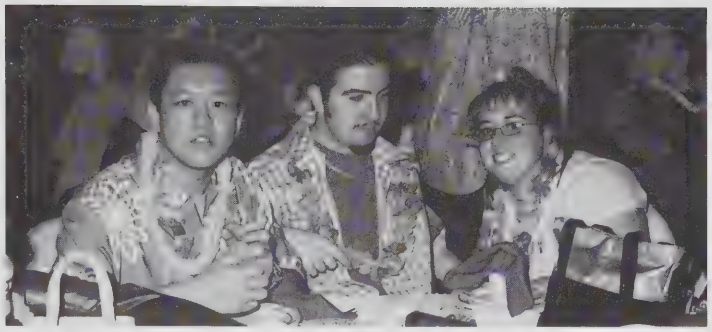




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MHS Bank





Jazz Band

Chorus



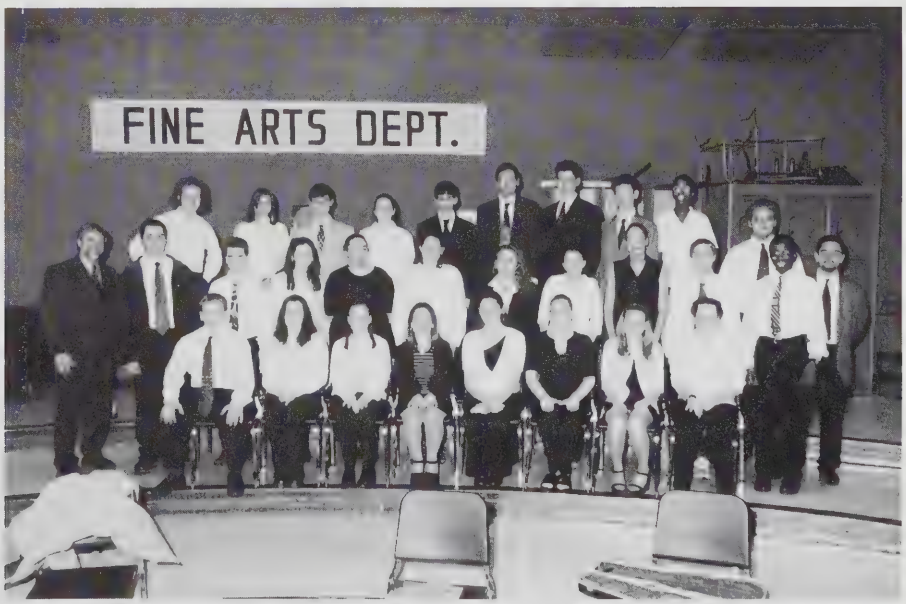
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Photography Club





Yearbook

National Honor Society



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Tomorrow's Teachers Organization





Senior Class Officers

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Hispanic Club

ving Dance Club



Drama Club











CLASS 2002
MHS
SUPERLATIVES



st Eyes: Maria Georgakopoulos, Ryan Ca-
n



Best Hair: Heidi Hoberg + Christen Repetto, Michael Sciarra



st Smile: Jacqui Gintner, Joanna Magaletta, Steve
rthil



Best Dressed: Rachel Wright, Jason Cardoso



Most Style: Grace So, Nick Ausiello



st Personality: Nora
lligan, Kenny Stevens



Most Popular: Gia Cervone, Luis Zamora



Best Looking: Natalie King, Chris Santos



Friendliest: Christina Branco, Dave Clayton



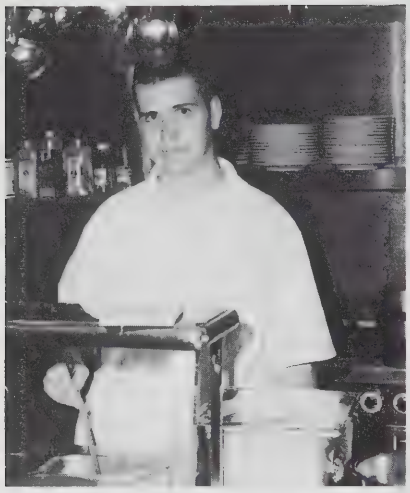
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Most Talkative: Amy Abou-Zaki, Jeff Carreiro

Vocational

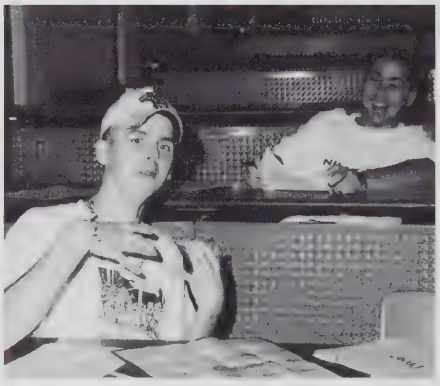








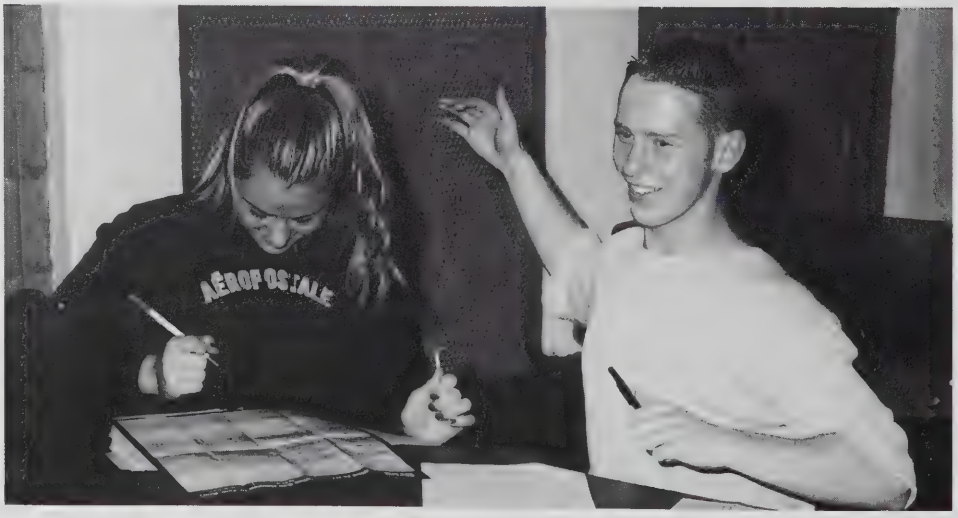








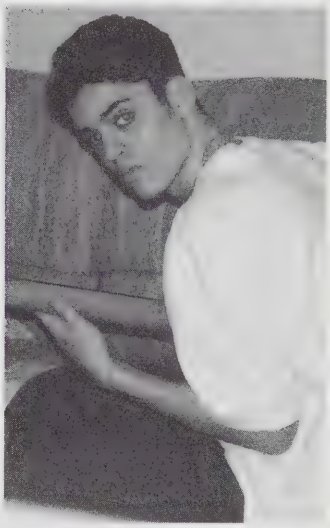




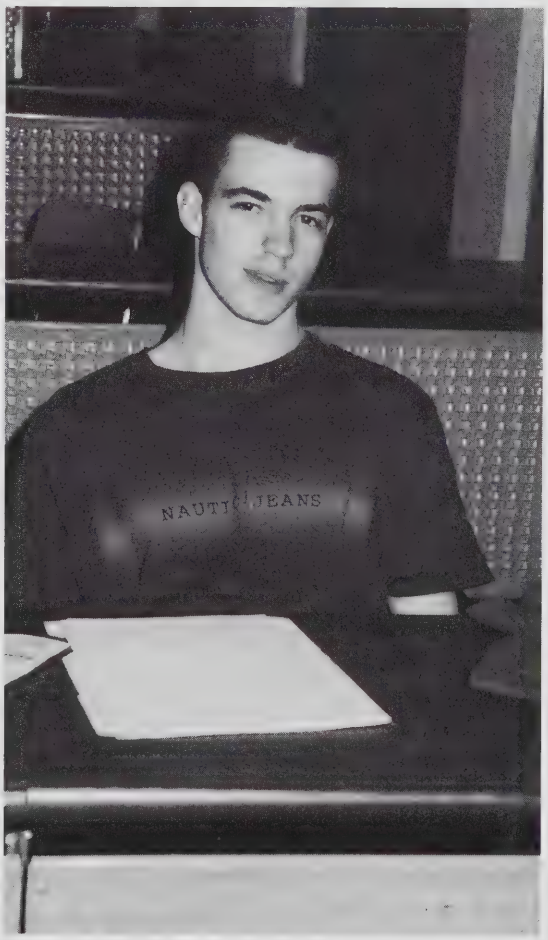











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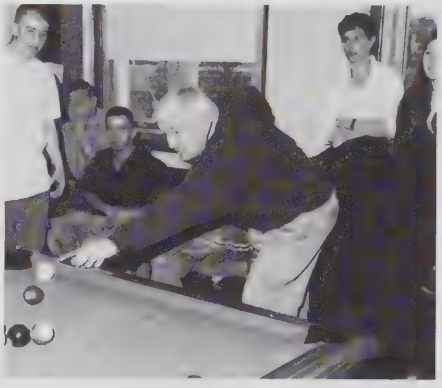


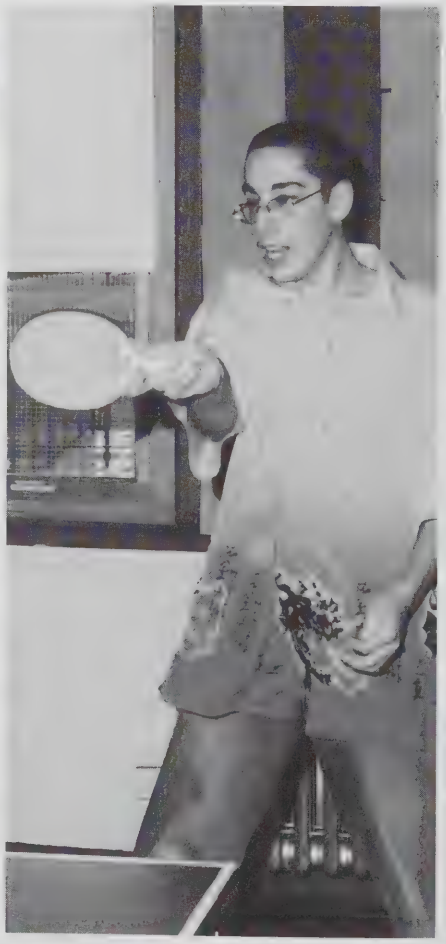


Curtis Tufts



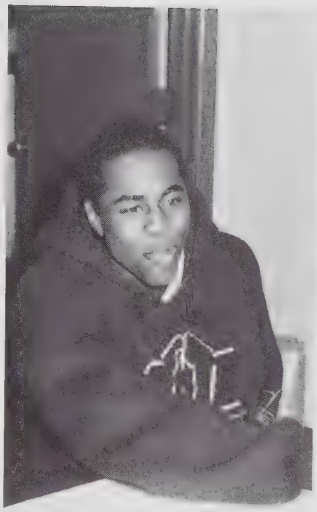


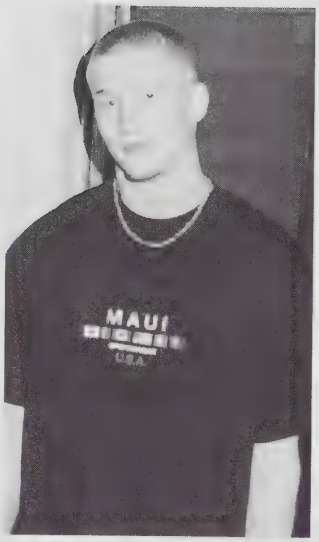










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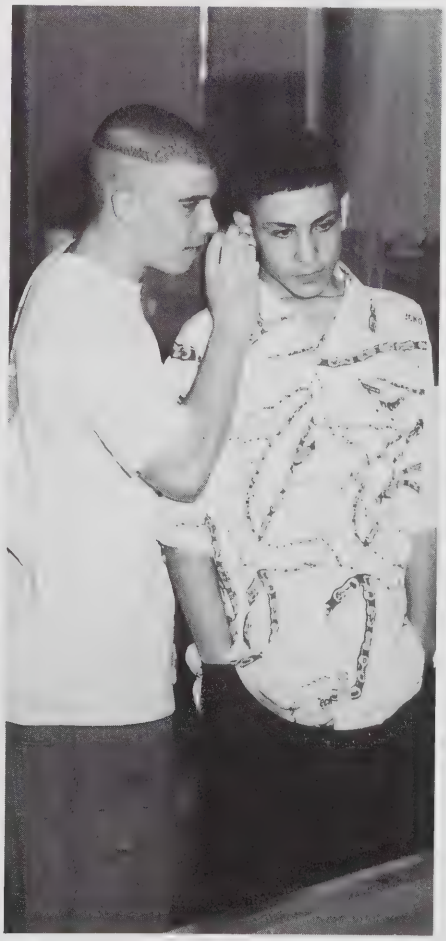




















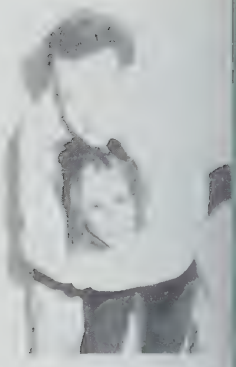
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Best Actor: Anita Fortini, Chris Harrington



Most Outgoing: Chinyere Opara, Daren Josey



Funniest: Sabrina Lauria, Coronella



Best Dancer: Angie Hernandes, Daniel Cassamajor



Most Mustang Pride: Nicole Gaglione, Travis Nevers



Most Likely To Succeed: Ben Feigenberg, Abby Carle



Most Mature: Peter Kra Jenna DiGregorio



Most Gullible: Jenna Fraser, Vinny Lirio, Shawna DeVenne



Most Conceited: Rachel Wright, Steve Gambale

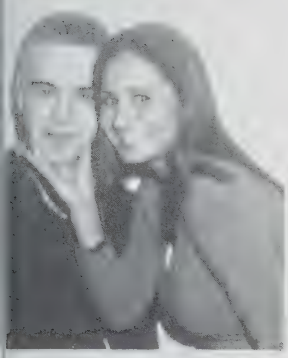


Teachers Pet: Hope M Chrisham Jevarajasingam

Fred & Barney:
Jay Garrity
Danny Doto

Wilma & Betty:
Jill Robinson
Shawna DeVenn





ss Cutie: Matty Vining, ıui Gintner



Class Heartbreaker: Robbie Soldani, Jill Carroll



Class Flirt: Matty Vining, Elizabeth Cotto



Class Complainer: Ciara Sherald, Mike D'Amico



ss Clown: Jenna Corbett, ınis Gianino



Class Couple: Adam DeStefano, Kristi Small



Class Leader: Michelle DeMatteo, Travis Nevers



Best Physique: Angel Ortiz, Andrea Collins



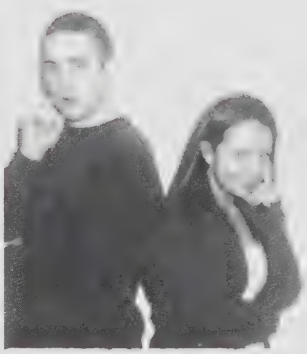
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Most Original: Laura Williams, Richie Mulcahy



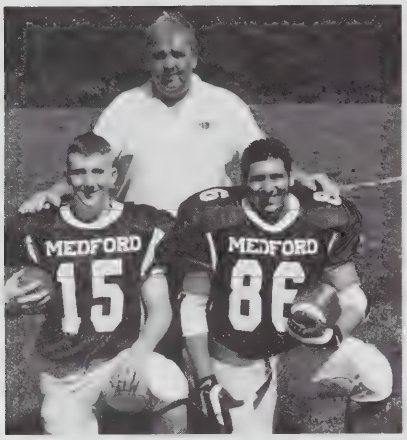
Most Shy: Mark Bates, Valerie Passanisi

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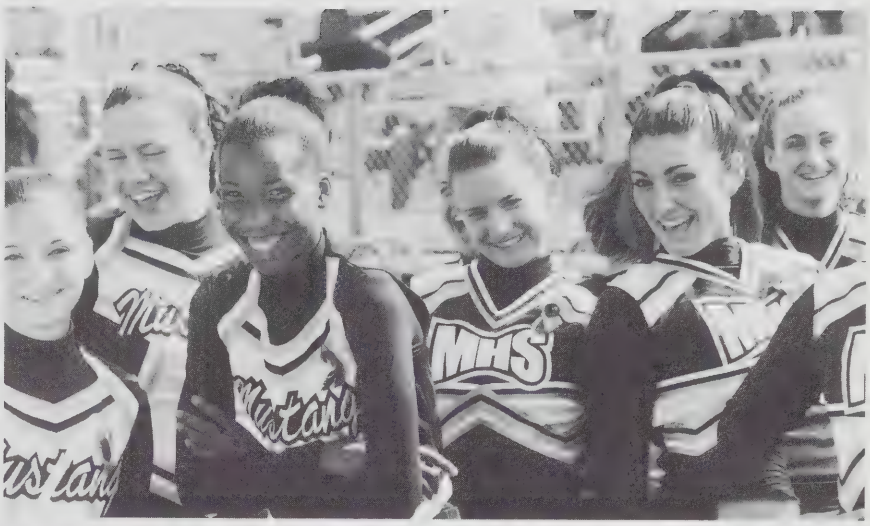











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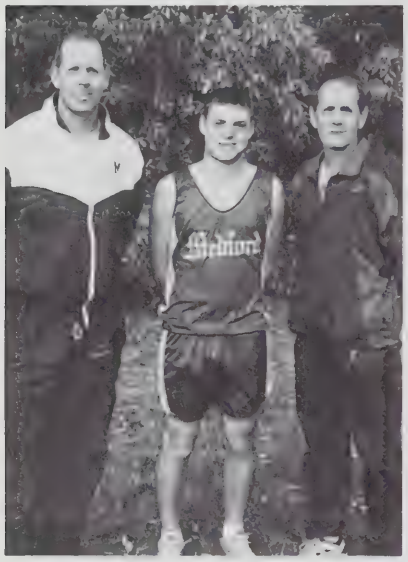








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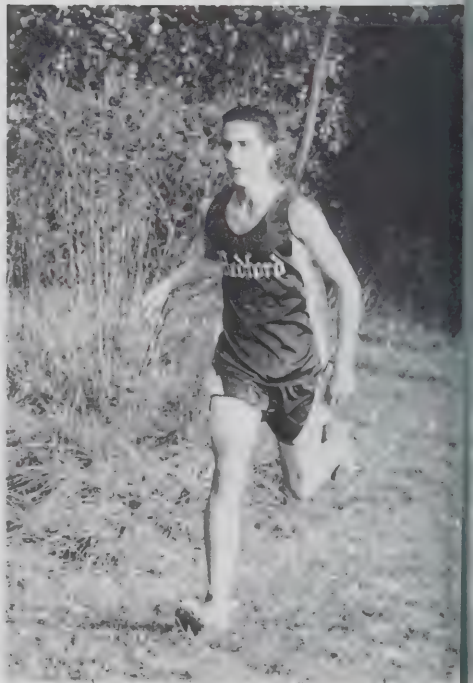


























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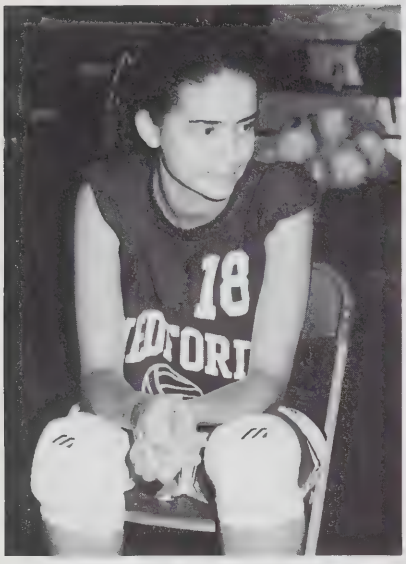








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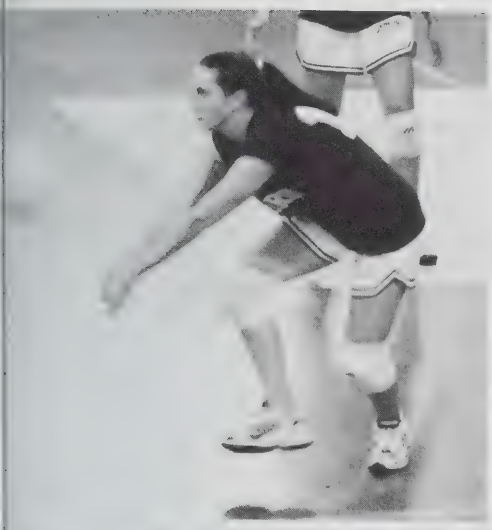










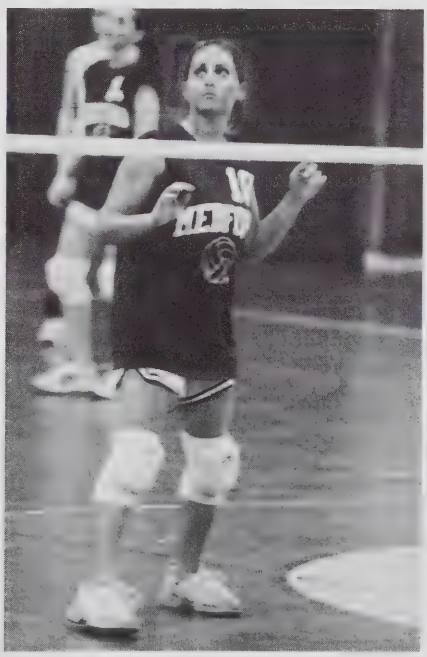



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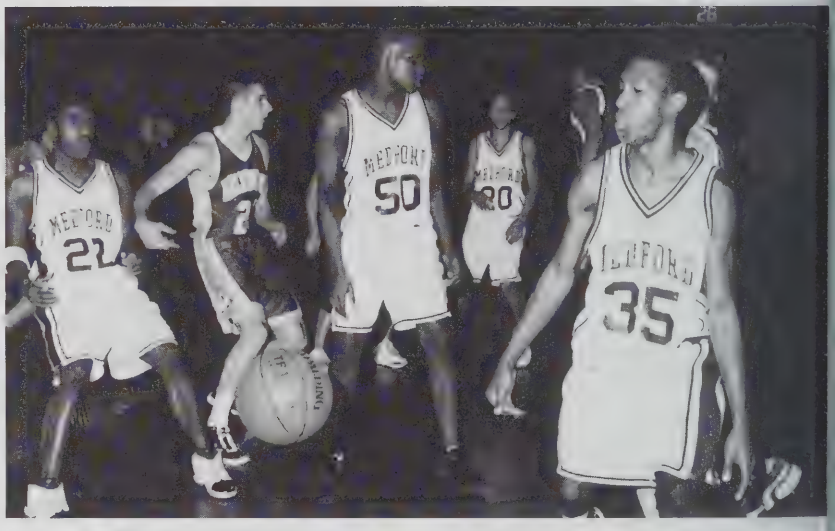


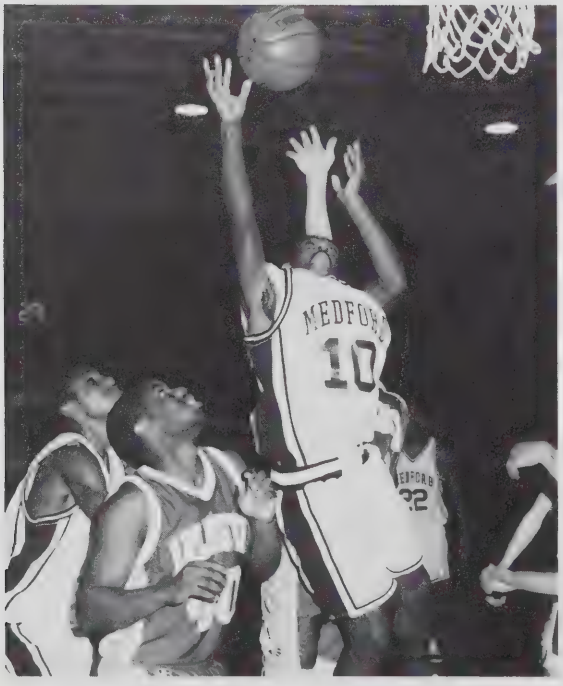
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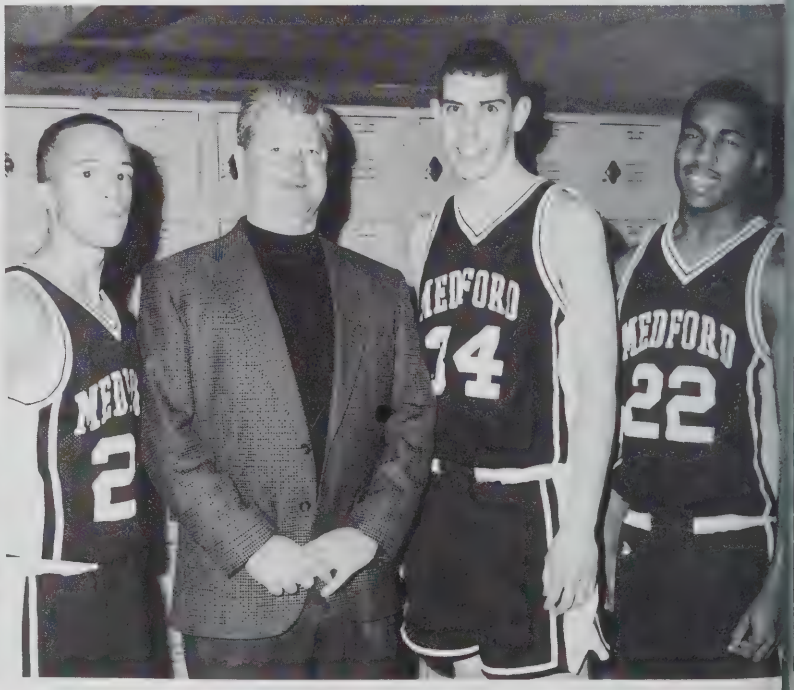


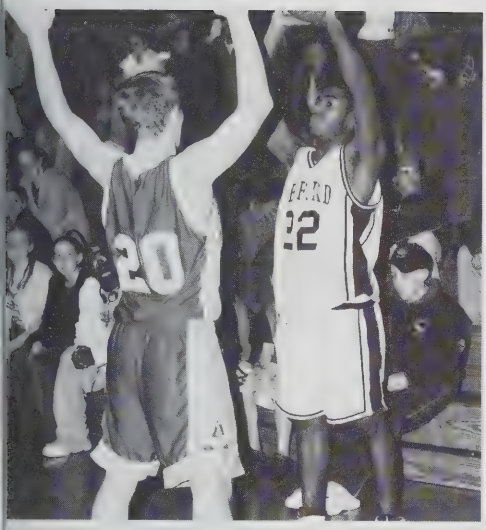




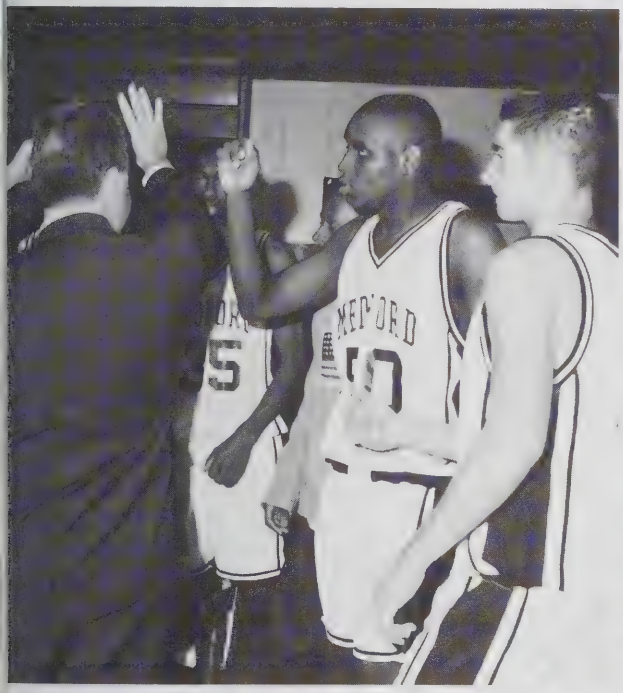




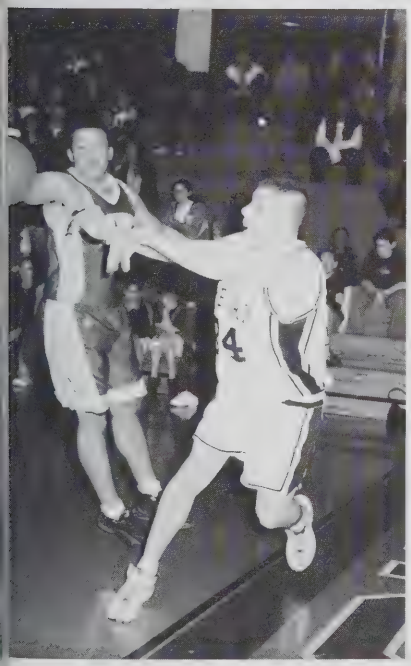





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SPORTS IN REVIEW

Football

Medford High School Football had a memorable season. Hormel Stadium held the first night game in our history, and with eigh seniors, the team had many GBL all-stars. Captains, Peter Krasco and Luis Zamora, led the team to a huge victory over Malden, 3 6, on Thanksgiving Day. Every football player, especially the other seniors, Travis Nevers, Dennis Gianino, Robbie Soldani, Angel O Daniel Cassamajor, Greg Terrien, Bill Austin, Roberto Campbell, Robbie Lahai, Vinny Leerio, Ryan Foley, John Fahey, Chrsitiansen, Jerry Derivios, Chris Santos, and McKinley Suel, will surely remember football camp, and with a 3-6 record every se should be proud to be a called a Mustang football player.

Cross Country

Both the boy's and girl's Cross Country teams have had a very successful season. The boys finished with a record of 4-4, and the g had a record of 6-2. The boys placed 4th in the league with the girls placing 2nd. The captains this year were Brad Winnett, Amber Nev Angie Catricala, and Caitlin Casey. Every runner will definitely remember the pasta dinners and all the fun they had.

Girl's Soccer

Girl's Soccer finished with a record of 8-6. The captains were Jill Carroll, Maryanne Yaeger, and Nikki Gaglione. The girls pla their best game against Peabody at home when at the half they were down 3-0 but won 4-3. All the girls, especially the seniors, Jill Car Maryanne Yaeger, Nikki Gaglione, Tish Toomey, Nora Gilligan, and Hope Mello, will remember their sleepover and double sessi A disappointment was losing in the first round of the play-offs, but all the girls will agree they had a very successful season.

Softball

The Softball team looks to a fun season. With three returning seniors, Heather Bailey, Nikki Gaglione, and Erica Russo, this year se to be a rebuilding year. Other returning players, Laura Shine, Courtney Casey, and Amber Nevers also look promising this year. girls hope to have a good record, but most importantly lots of fun.

Baseball

The Baseball team had a very successful season last year, and hope to continue this year. With ten returning players, including ser Darren Josey, Mike D'Amico, John Cunningham, Steve Gambale, Angel Ortiz, BJ Austin, Adam Destefano, Chris Santos, and R Baker, the boys hope to win the GBL this year. All the boys look very strong this year and look forward to a good season.

Swimming

One thing can be said about the Swim Team, they always have fun. Team captains Maryanne Yaeger, Nora Gilligan, and Dan Jentz led the team this season. The team finished well in the GBL meet beating Everett and Revere. Everyone on the team can say the Mustangs have spirit. Every swimmer will remember working hard, like practices at 6:00 AM, and also laughing hard, like orde pizza to the pool.

Boys Soccer

The Boy's Soccer Team has had a great season. Team captains, Dave Clayton, Jay Garrity, Jason Cardoso, and Dave Wenham the team to a GBL Championship. The boys had a perfect regular season with a record of 11-0-5. The boys lasted until the semi-fi of the state tournament against Newton North. All the players can be proud of an excellent season including other seniors, Edwin Cha Javier Bellini, Dan Doto, Dan Tringali, James Ocampo, Douglas Arrojo, Hanssell Cano, and Mike Grande.

Indoor Track

The boys and girls indoor track teams have had a good season. Captains, Heather Bailey, Natalie Paine, Dave Wenham, Rob Campbell, and Roges Dorceus all enjoyed a great season. A highlight of the season was the boys' 4x2 relay team winning 5th plac the State Coaches Relays. While the girls' team had a rebuilding season, they were all very proud to beat Malden, their only win season. Other seniors, Darren Josey, Adam Pescatore, Travis Nevers, Angel Ortiz, Shawn Richardson, Eric Costa, Robbie Lahaie, J Derivios, Dan Tringali, and Steve Myrthil also were attributes to the team.

Boys Lacrosse

The Boys Lacrosse team hopes to have a very successful season. Captains Peter Krasco and Dave Liberatore hope to lead the t to many victories. With 17 returning players, including other seniors, James DiClemente, Brad Winnett, and Roberto Campbell, the t looks very strong this year. They will hopefully have a good season like those of their past three years.

Girls Lacrosse

Last year Girls Lacrosse had their first win ever in Medford High School history. This year 9 seniors, Maryanne Yaeger, Nora Gilli Jenna DiGregorio, Andrea Collins, Amanda Zwiercan, Katie Fichera, Shawn Spingel, Laura Cultrera, and Jamie Colley will lead

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1. The girls hope to have another successful season and to continue winning.

s Tennis

he Boy's Tennis team looks to a very successful season. The team has 7 returning players, including seniors and captains Ben enburg and Flaubert Tarek. Last season they had a record of 4-12, and this season they hope to work a little harder and win more hes.

's Basketball

he Girl's Basketball team has had a very good season. They made the state tournament, which was a big goal for senior captains Toomey and Elizabeth Cotto, and senior Jaime Colley. The highlight of the season would have to be beating Somerville for irst time in four years. The girls all feel they did their very best and will always remember TGI Fridays, jokes, and disappearing

key

Iedford High Hockey had a very successful year. The team easily made the state tournament. Seniors: Jay Garrity, Mark Bates, Dave ratore, Matt Downey, Joe Ulanday, Billy Falasca, and Brad Winnett all had a great year. Leading scorer and captain Jay Garrity along captain Mark Bates believe beating Malden Catholic twice is the hightlight of their season. All the hockey players can be proud eir winning record.

erleading

Iedford High School Cheerleading has always been very successful. Last fall the girls won second in the Leagues and Regionals. ors: Kristen McLaughlin, PJ Griffin, Lisa Scalisi, and Christine Encalada, will bring the team to the COA Nationals in March. The hes, Jeff Manhart and Lisa Evangelista are very proud of the girls this year, and they are very proud of themselves as well.

door Track

utdoor Track looks to a prosperous season. With many returning seniors on the boys team, many strong sprinters, and strong distance ners the team looks very promising. The girls will hold their own, but seem to have a rebuilding year. Seniors, Tish Toomey, Natalie e, Grace Kibe, Dave Wenham, Roberto Campbell, Roges Dorceus, Adam Pescatore, Travis Nevers, Shawn Richardson, Eric Costa, oie Lahaie, Jerry Derivios, Dan Tringali, and Steve Myrthil hope for many wins this year.

s Basketball

he Boy's Basketball team has had a very good season. Tom Rieser returned as coach bringing the Mustangs hope for the season. team captains were Ricky Cormio, Dave Clayton, and Daniel Cassamajor. Other seniors on the team were Aaron Mundele and Jon stiansen. The boys quadrupled their wins this year with four wins compared to only one win last season. The boys worked very hard had a very successful season ending 4 and 16.

eyball

he Girl's Volleyball team finished with a record of 6 and 9. The captains this year were Elizabeth Cotto, Jacqui Gintner, and Erica o. The girls beat Arlington for the first time in the history of the program this year which was a big boost for their confidence Other rs on the team this year were Jenna DiGregorio, Stephanie Bianchi, Laura Cultrera, and Joanna Medaglio. One achievement for eam was Elizabeth Cotto making 1st team GBL all stars. The girls had a very good season.

nastics

he Gymnastics team coached by Josie Penza had only one senior this year, Andrea Collins. The girls worked very hard this season received their highest points in the GBL meet at MIT, 110.1. One highlight of the season was beating Revere 97 to 74. The girls had y good season and had so much fun!

's Tennis

he Girl's Tennis team looks forward to a good season in the spring. Last year the girls finished with a record of 3 and 12. Seniors ne team Jacqui Gintner and Rebecca Sylvert were captains last year and return as captain. The team didn't lose any players to uation, so hopefully all the varsity players will return. The coach Eleanor O'Leary hopes the girls will come together for a winning on.

his year the Golf team did not have any seniors. The team will not lose any players to graduation, so they are looking forward to ong season next year. The boys all enjoyed a successful season.

Hockey



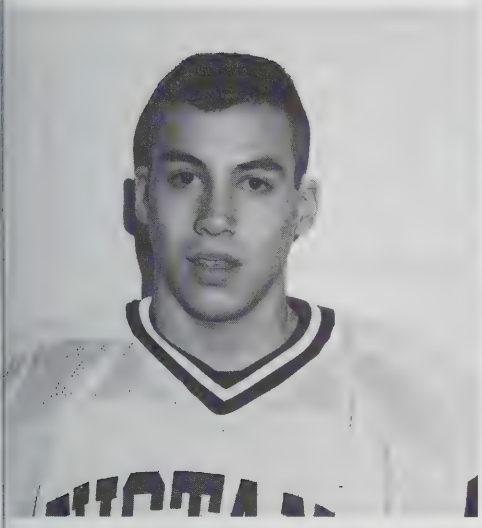

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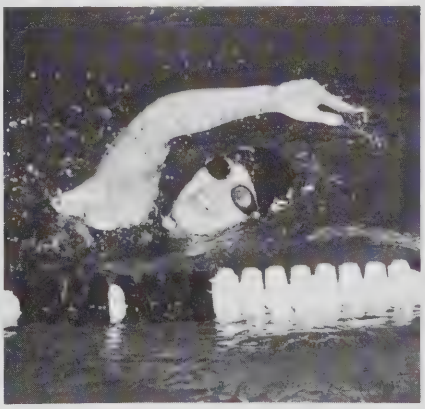


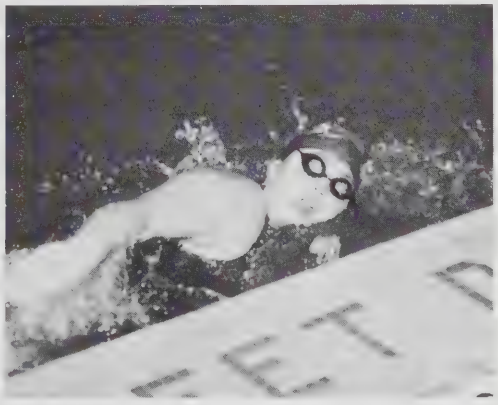




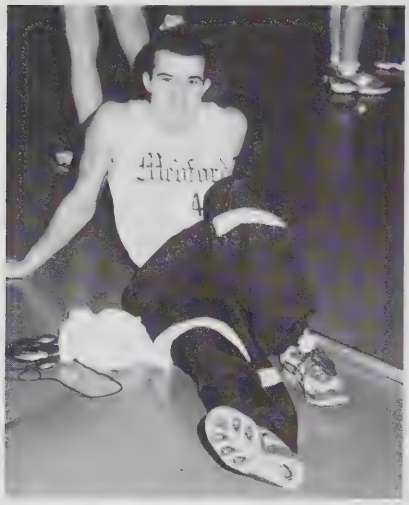








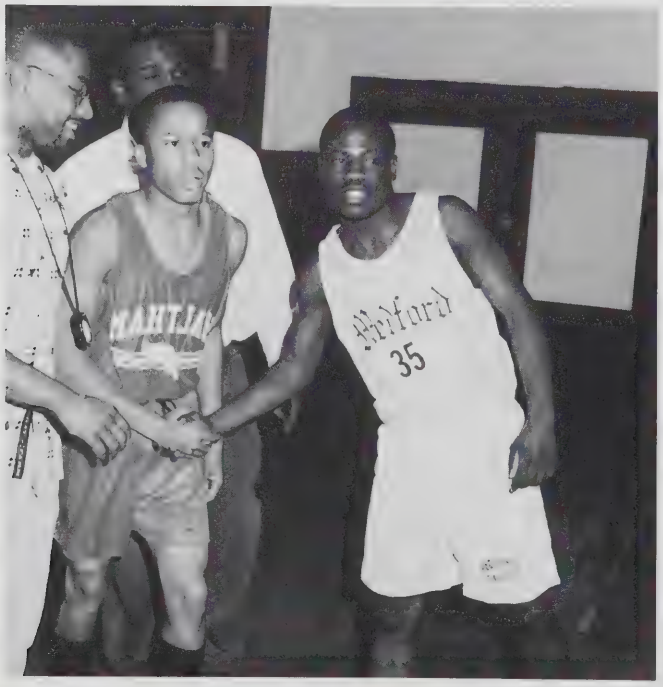
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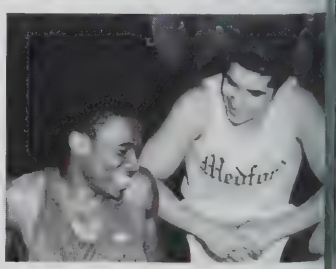










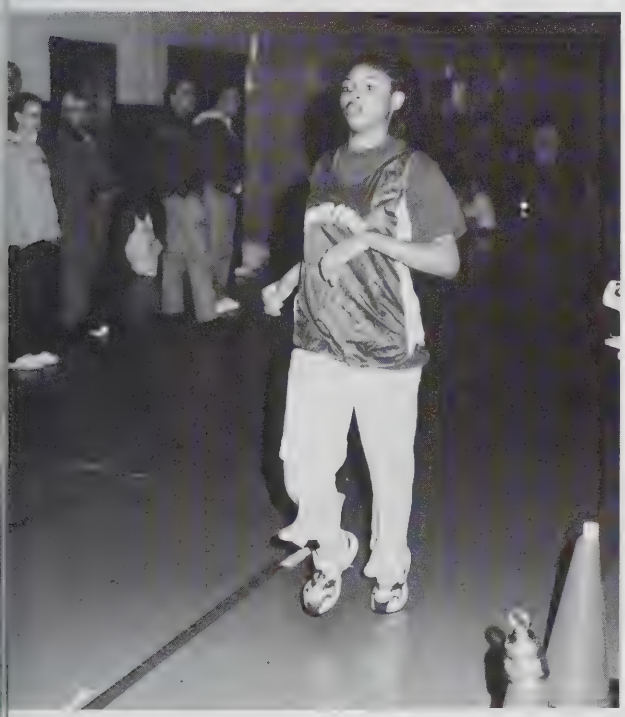




































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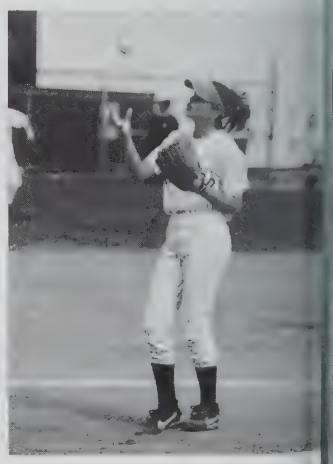






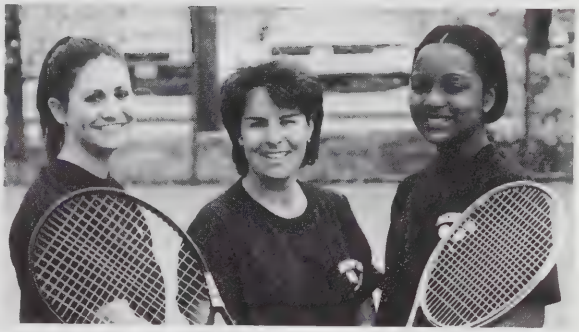




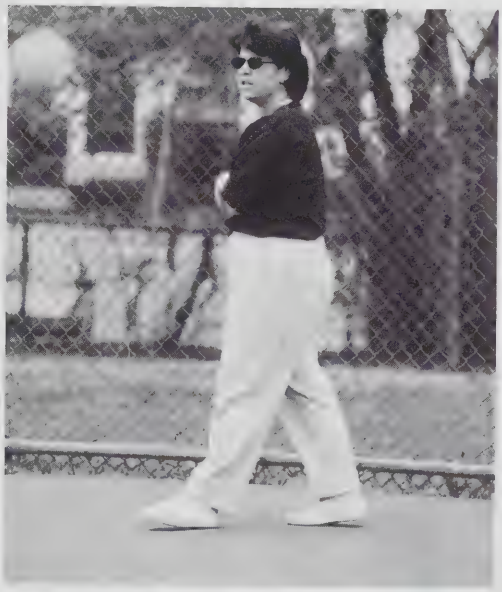


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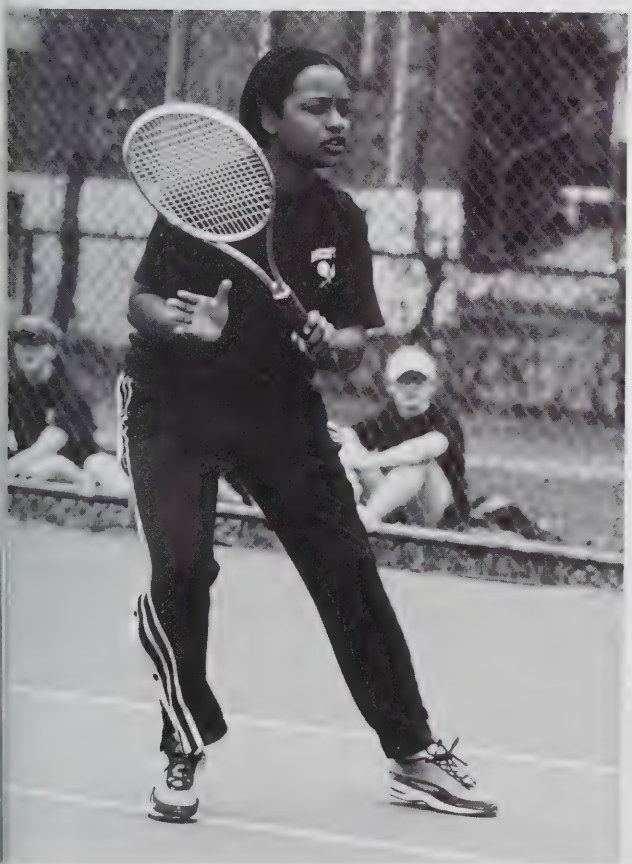














Boys Lacrosse















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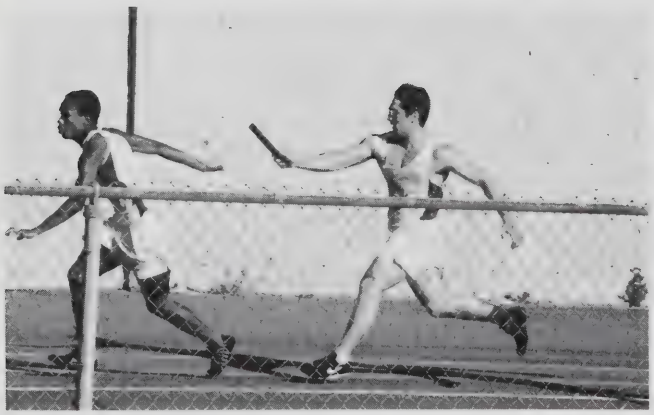


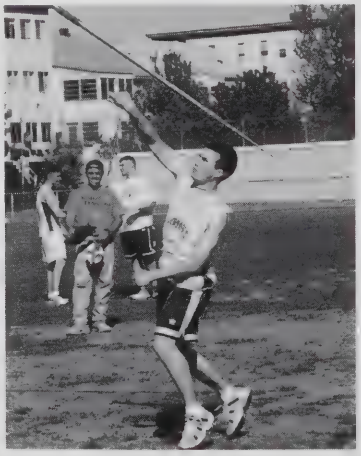





















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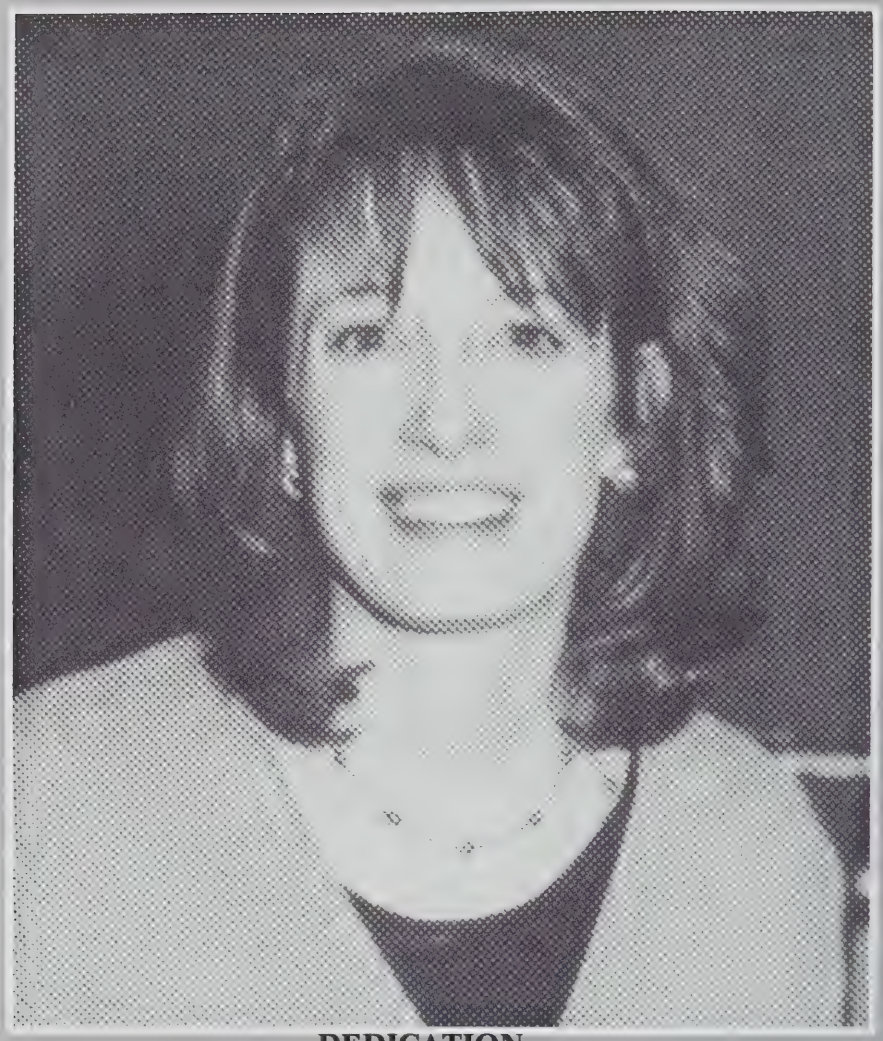
Brandon Bolden

The caring prayers, the shaking shock -
This awful news our world did rock.
No one knew how it happened or why.
We were all so sad; it made us cry.
How unfair it should have happened now -
Won't someone ever tell us how?
His tears had dried, his pain had healed;
And God chose this time for his life to yield.
It's later now, while we've moved on -
We miss him as though he had just gone.
We'll never forget all the good he did,
Even though, to him our farewells we've bid.
We love him still, we miss him yet;
And on this I'll forever bet.
If he is truly in our hearts,
From us he'll never be truly apart.



Statement from the Editor

I just wanted to say that it was a please going to school with everyone for four years, and even a greater pleasure working as the editor of our yearbook. I wish good luck to everyone in the future. Thanks for everything.
Heather Bailey



DEDICATION
Bernadette Ricciardelli

It is the esteemed pleasure of the 2002 Blue & White Yearbook Staff to present this year's yearbook de cation to Class of 2002 Advisor, Bernadette Ricciardelli.

Mrs. Ricciardelli graduated from Northeastern University and started teaching here at Medford High 1997.

Our Class of 2002 entered Medford High in 1998. Mrs. Ricciardelli, still a new educator, stepped up the role as Class Advisor with pride and dedication from the beginning. She has been able to provide s port and inspiration to us as a class.

With and without the help of others, Mrs. Ricciardelli has always been able to come out on top and fl lessly organize many unforgettable and successful social events for Medford High. Without her guida and support, we don't know where we would be.

It is for all these reasons and many more, that we thank Mrs. Ricciardelli for all she has done and continue to do for us in our four years at Medford High. Her upcoming students will hopefully be as gr ful to her as we are.

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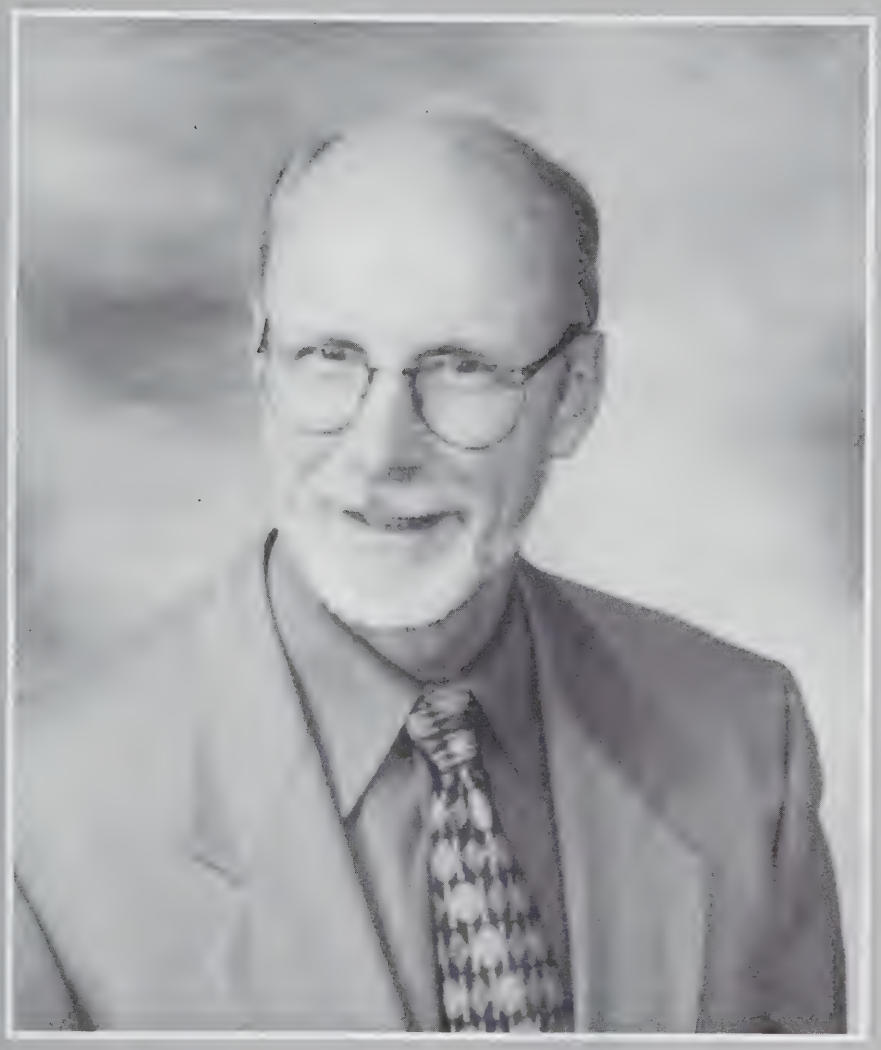
Congratulations on your achievement of a high school diploma. You have demonstrated the ability to meet the challenge of y courses and to attain a level of knowledge which allows you to transition from youth to adulthood. Your learning process must c tinue if you are to be successful in the multiple aspects of your life including your selected career path. Learning is never over. a continuous journey. Graduation from high school is merely a stage rather than a completion. Along the road of this journey will encounter adversity. To think otherwise is to delude yourself. No one avoids all the bumps in the road. Some have it toug than others. Your high school education has provided you with some of the skills you need to avoid the bumps and the pot hole the road. No high school education can prepare you for all that you will face in an uncertain world where civilizations clash and naticism can shake the security of our great country.

Therefore, you must develop resiliency in the face of adversity. You will grow this inner strength one day at a time and one ex rience at a time. Resiliency will enable you to bounce back from a setback, reposition yourself and continue movement tow your ultimate goals. You must expect that the world will present disruptions and distractions as you move on to higher educat the work place, and family development. You must respond by being positive and not negative. As one former Medford H School teacher used to say, "Every knock is a boost." Find and create opportunities to turn advertisy to your advantage. Ask yo self why something can happen rather than why is this happening to me? A resilient attitude can help you weather almost storm. Keep focused on your goals and maintain a healthy perspective that is long range. Occasionally you may lose a battle, don't lose the war.

Remember that you are not alone. Develop friendships, network with colleagues and sustain a strong family. Togetherness be a great support when adversity strikes. Collective strength is available if you plan ahead. Each of you will be tested in mult ways. Now is the time to grasp the concept of resiliency so that you can be prepared and meet the future with confidence.

Don't drain your resiliency by worrying about the future. Instead, nourish your resiliency by learning from all your experien Change is inevitable and flexibility will always be required. Keep focused on what is really important in your life and be proacti

Best wishes for a happy, healthy and prosperous life and a resilient attitude necessary to keep it that way.



EADMASTER'S MESSAGE

Although every graduating class has a distinct personality and demonstrates a variety of strengths, Med-
rd High School's Class of 2002 will always be special for me.

One reason is that we started out at Medford High School at the same time four years ago. That makes
u the first graduating class that I as Headmaster have been able to know through all four years of high
hool. That makes you the first class with whom I have shared four years of memories — of concerts and
lays, club meetings and tournaments, art exhibits and pep rallies. That makes you the first class that I
ve watched grow from eager children in the ninth grade to the mature, responsible young men and
omen that you are today.

Another reason why your graduating class is unique is that you exhibited exceptional school spirit
roughout your high school career. That school spirit has been reflected in your outstanding behavior at
orting events, your leadership and service at a variety of school events, and your performance on the
CAS tets. Even more impressive than the scores, from my perspective, was the loyalty to your high school
at was at the heart of your collective achievement. After all, the MCAS was not a "high stakes" test for
u; your diploma was not tied to passing scores on state tests. However, as you might recall, you kept your
cus and your sense of humor, and reflected no other motivation than reaching your potential and being
ue to your parents, your teachers and your school.

Congratulations on all that you have accomplished over the past four years, and best wishes for a future
lled with good health, good friends, and good fortune.

aul H. Krueger, Ed. D.
eadmaster

The excitement of the new school year was quickly removed by the tremendous loss of life in New York City and Washington, DC. The men, women and children that were forever deprived of the companionship of husbands, wives, mothers and fathers can never be replaced.

However the actions of hundreds of individuals that gave of their life to help thousands more, should never be forgotten. Their actions clearly resounded the words of President Harry S. Truman, "We must build a new world, a far better world — one in which the eternal dignity of man is respected."

As the Class of 2002 goes forth into this new world, not only must they be prepared for academic and vocational choices in order to compete for precious few places in the technology industry or academic institutions of high learning, they must also carry with them a sense and spirit of cooperation and teamwork. That spirit was ever evident in the days and months that followed the September 11 tragedies, as thousands of volunteers flocked to New York City to assist in the rescue and recovery of the victims trapped beneath massive rubble of concrete and steel.

That same spirit was present in the Medford Vocational Technical High School. Students and teachers bonded together for a common goal — pass the MCAS test and qualify for a high school diploma. The efforts of all allowed better than 75 percent of the testers to pass on the first try, but more significantly placed the remaining within striking distance of passing on the retake.

Probably the most important aspect of teamwork — besides removing the "I" when spelling team — is the ability to listen and respect and understand how individuals think and differ from one another. Once again President Truman believed that we as citizens could work harmoniously. "It is understanding that gives us an ability to have peace. When we understand the other fellow's viewpoint, and he understands ours, then we can sit down and work out our differences."

As the Class of 2002 goes forth into this bold new world, they must carry with them the knowledge and skills acquired to survive in industry or education, but most importantly will need to exhibit the quality of citizens they have become in order to continue to rebuild the shaken foundation of this great nation.

William C. Mahoney
Director, MVTHS



Daniel W. Ross
Submaster's message

Since September 1998, I have watched you grow and change. You have met many challenges and encountered many obstacles. You have learned that hard work and determination are key to meeting your life goals. You possess the skill and ability to attain these goals.

Your education is a process that began more than twelve years ago. Graduation is a time to celebrate and review the accomplishments you've made and a gateway to the next phase of your lives. Use your knowledge and perseverance to pursue your plans and dreams and contribute to make this world a better place for mankind.

I congratulate you and wish you abundant success, good health and happiness.



Daniel W. Ross



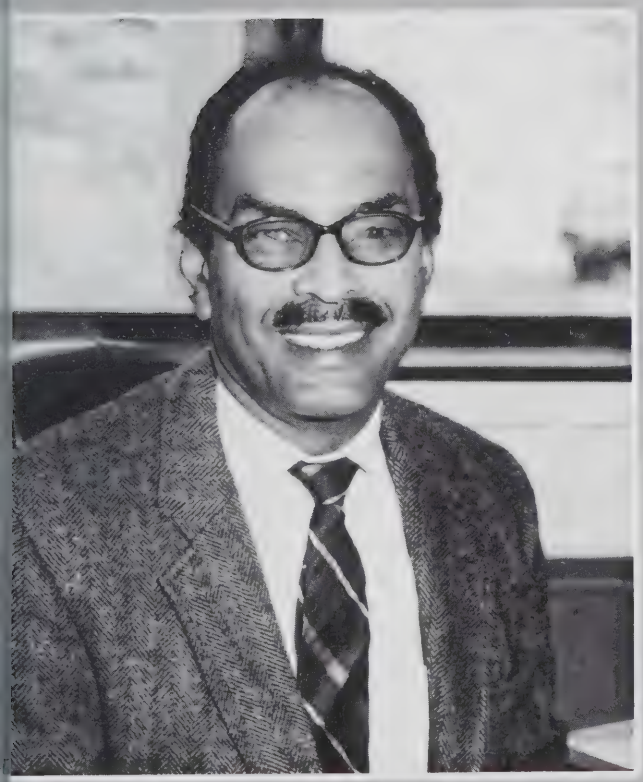
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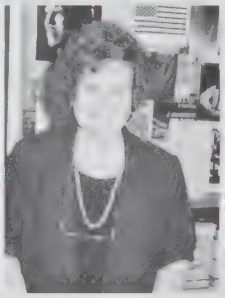
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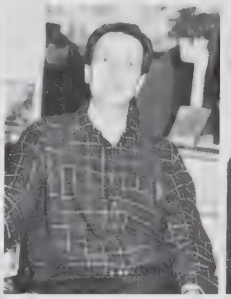
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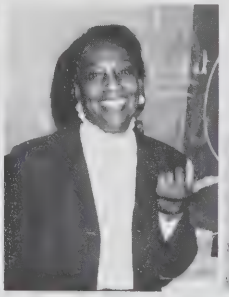
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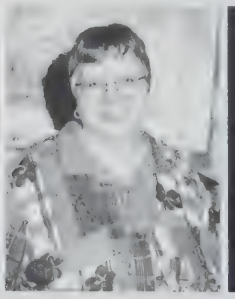
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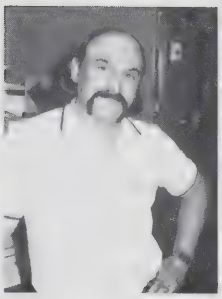
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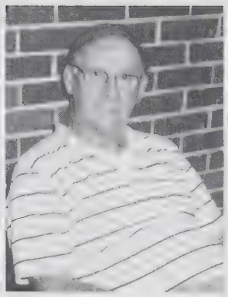
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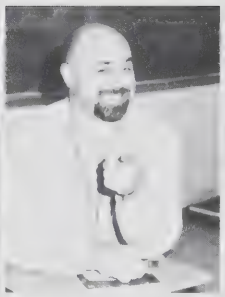
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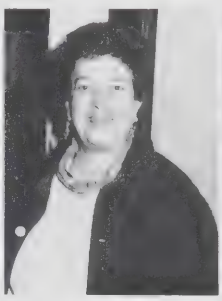
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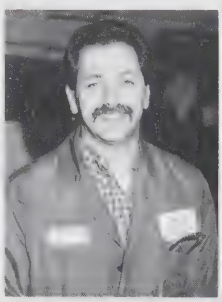
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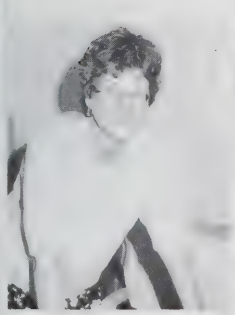
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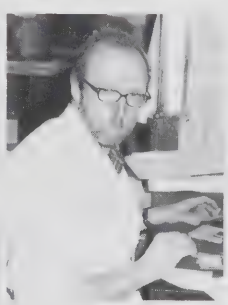
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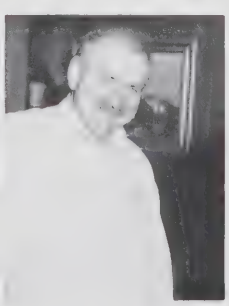
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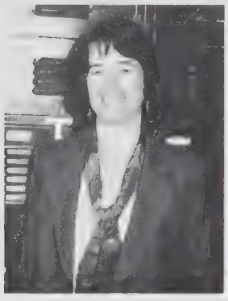
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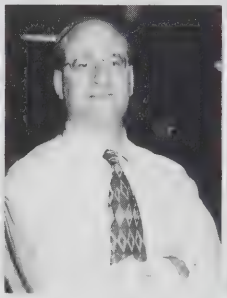
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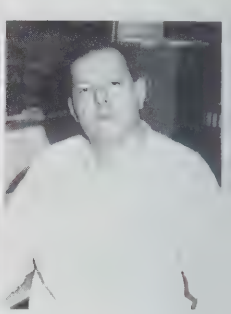
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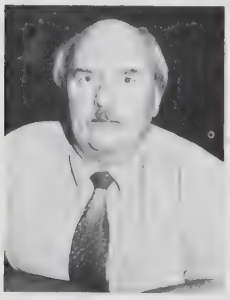
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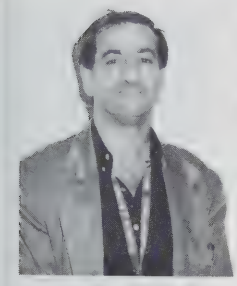
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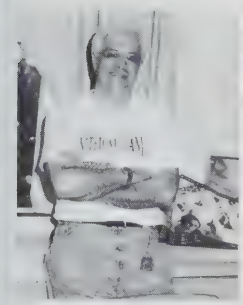
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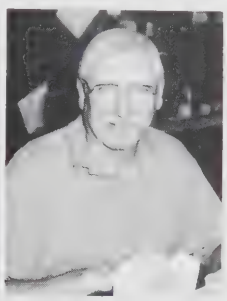
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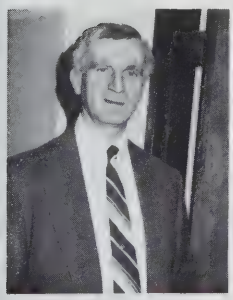
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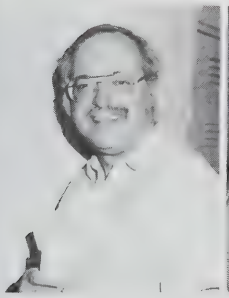
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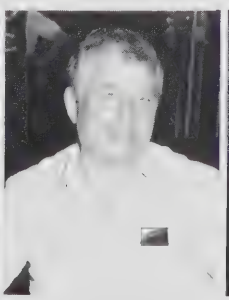
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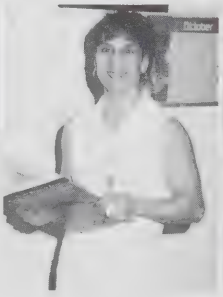
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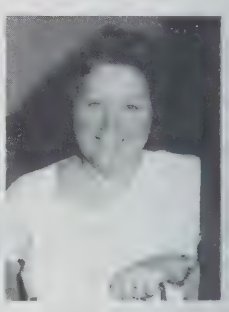
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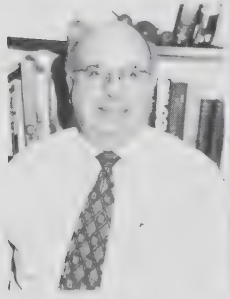
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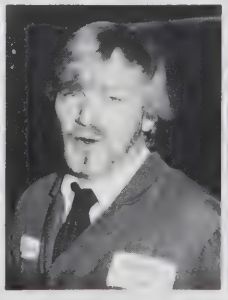
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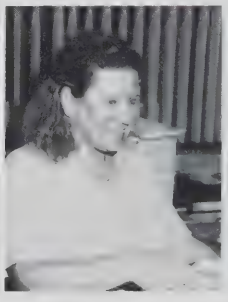
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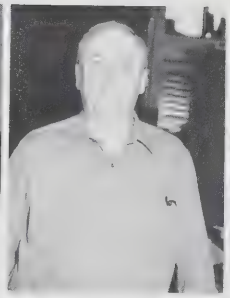
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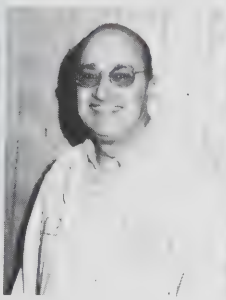
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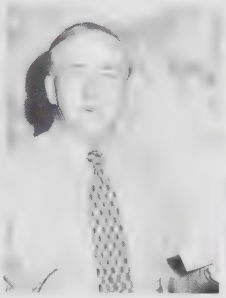
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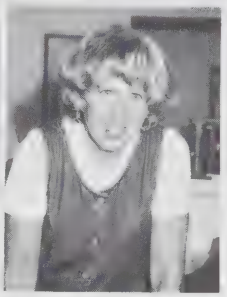
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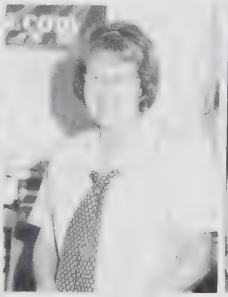
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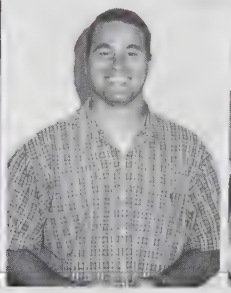
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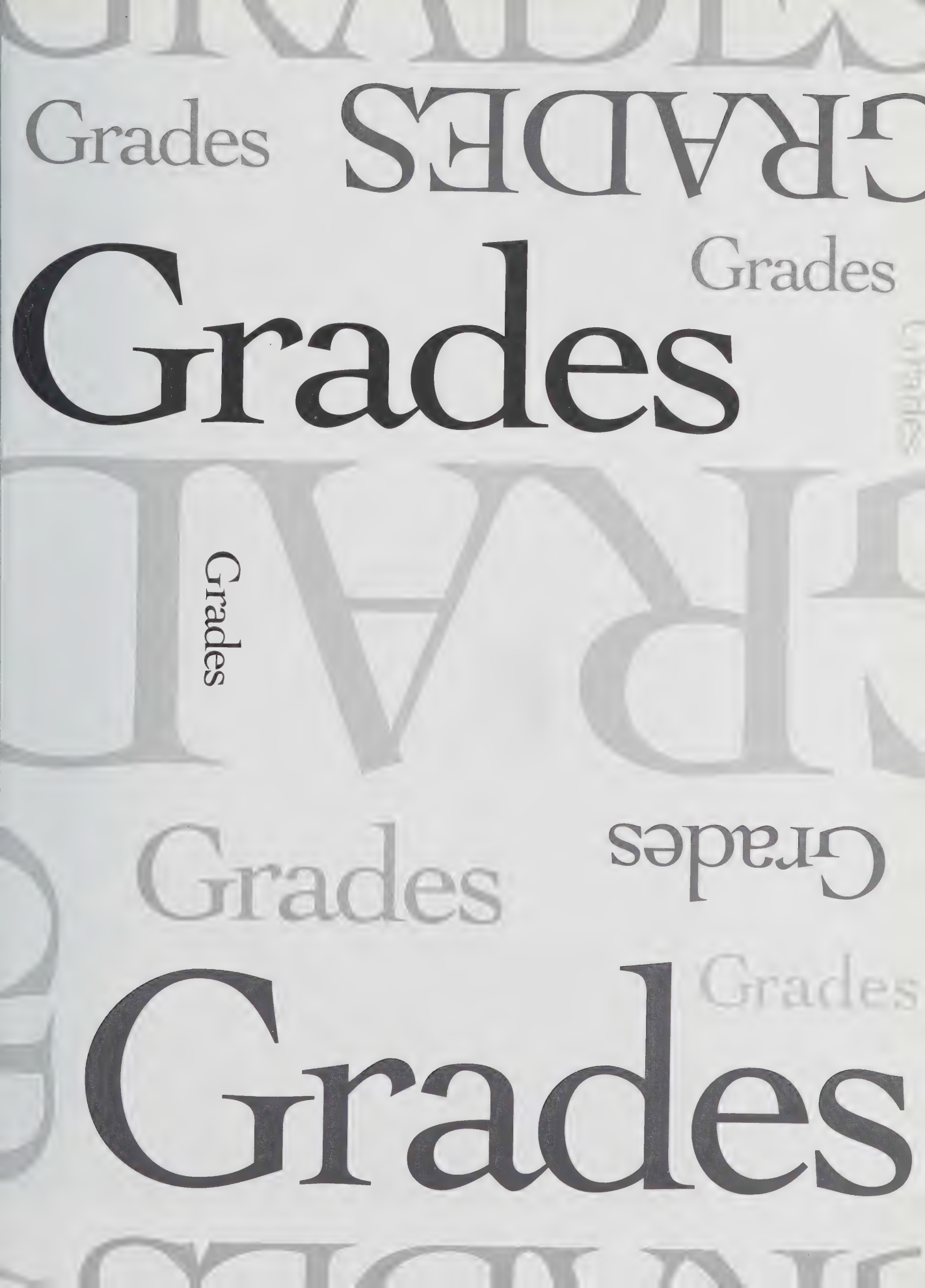
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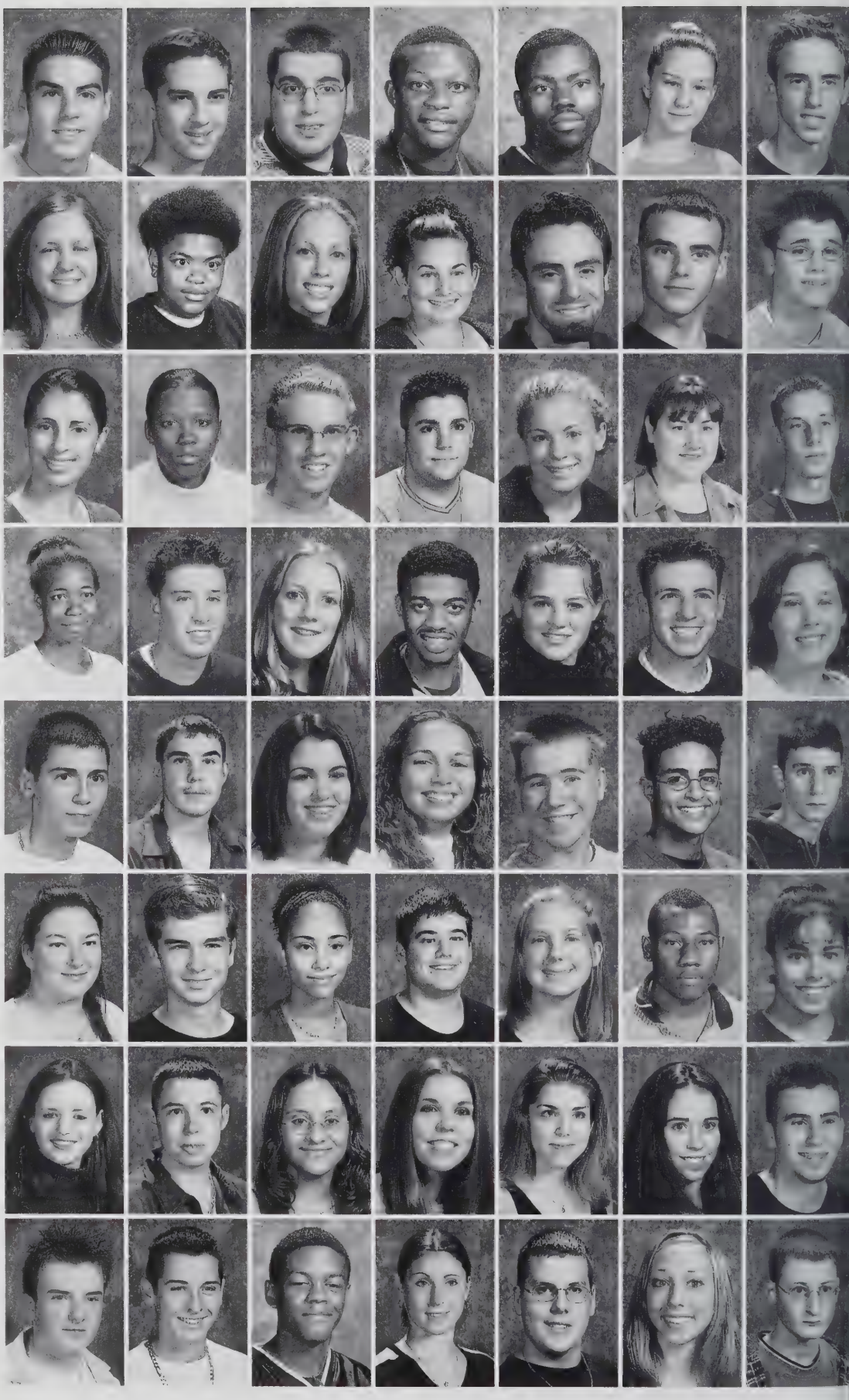
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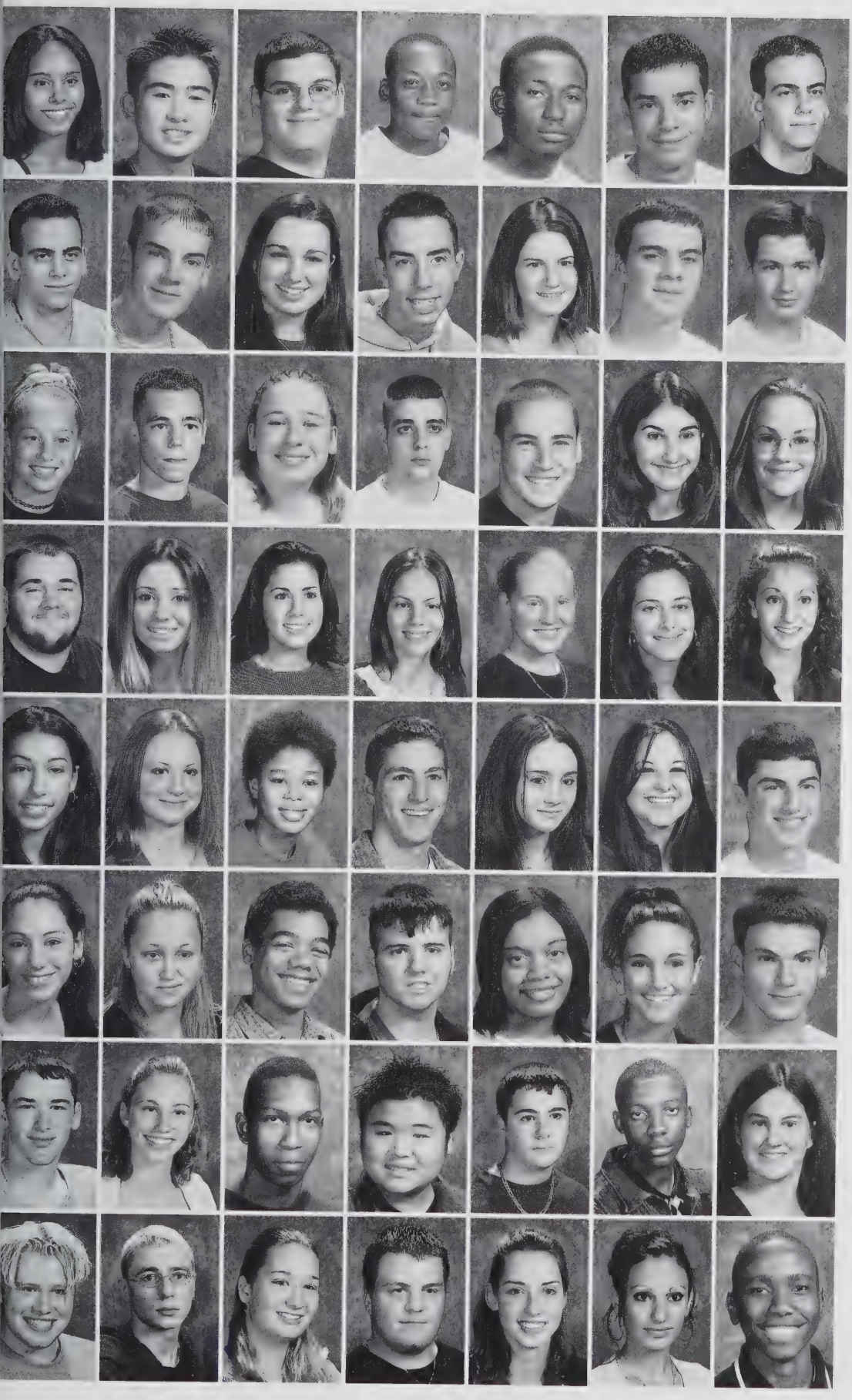
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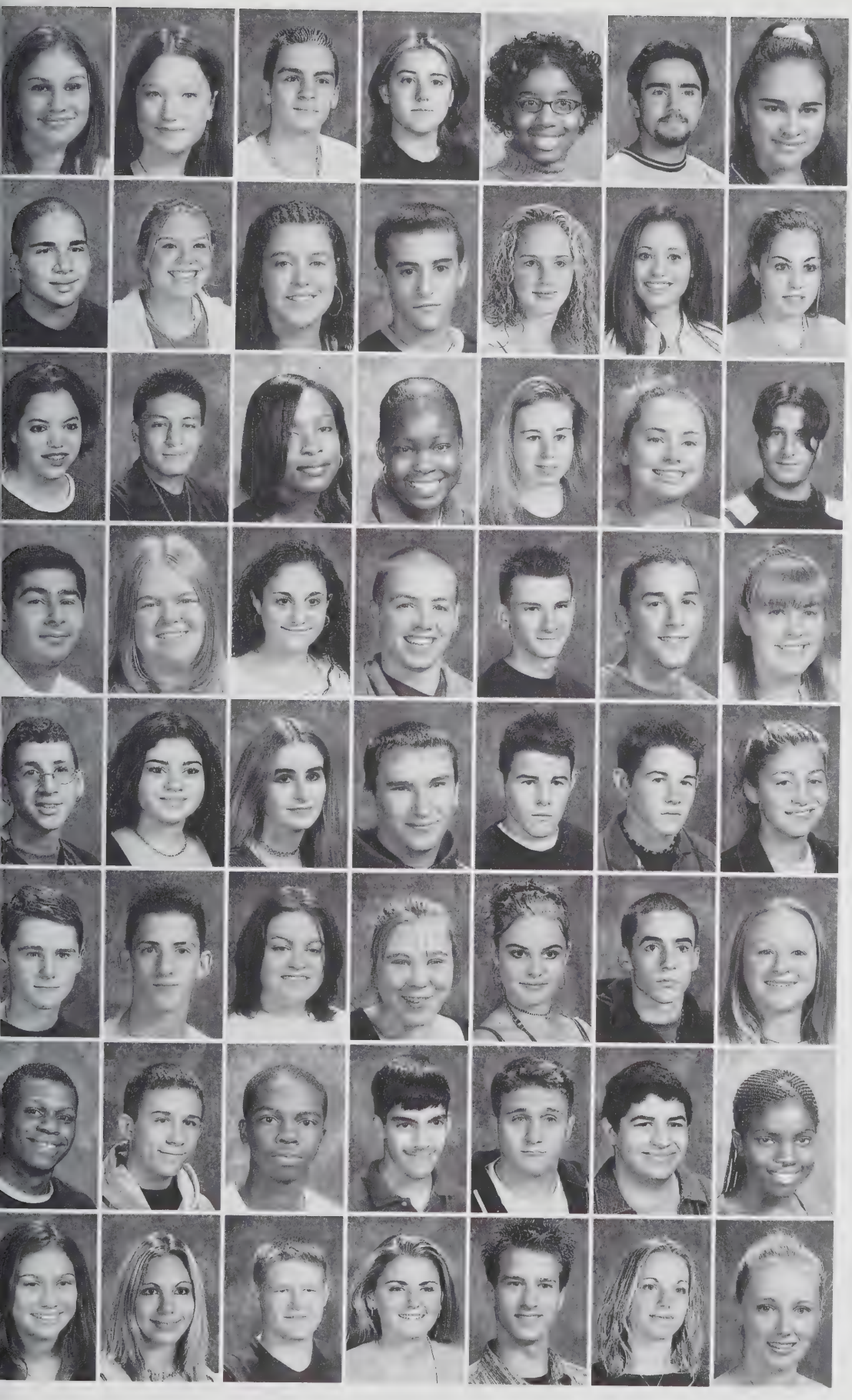
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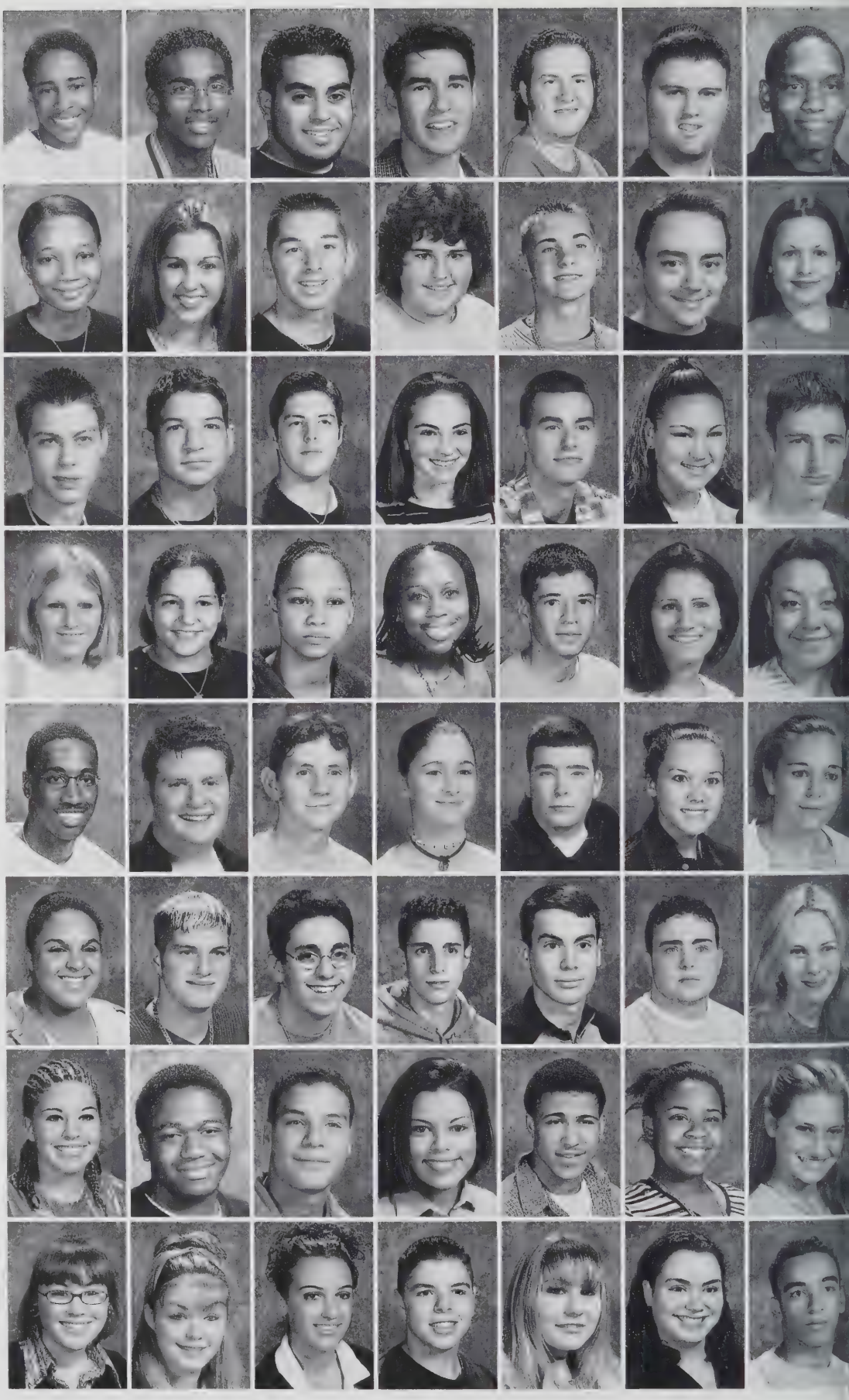
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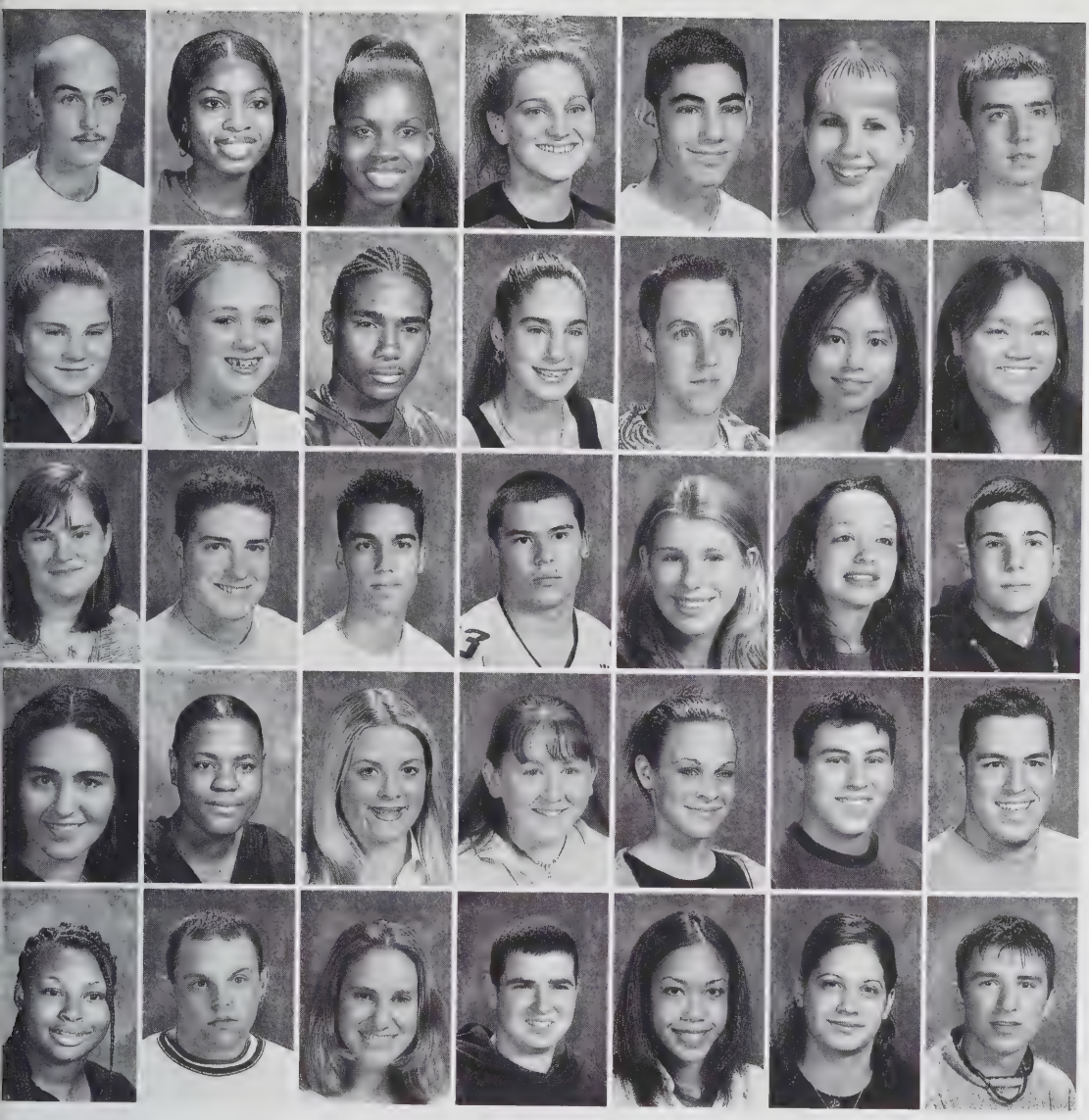
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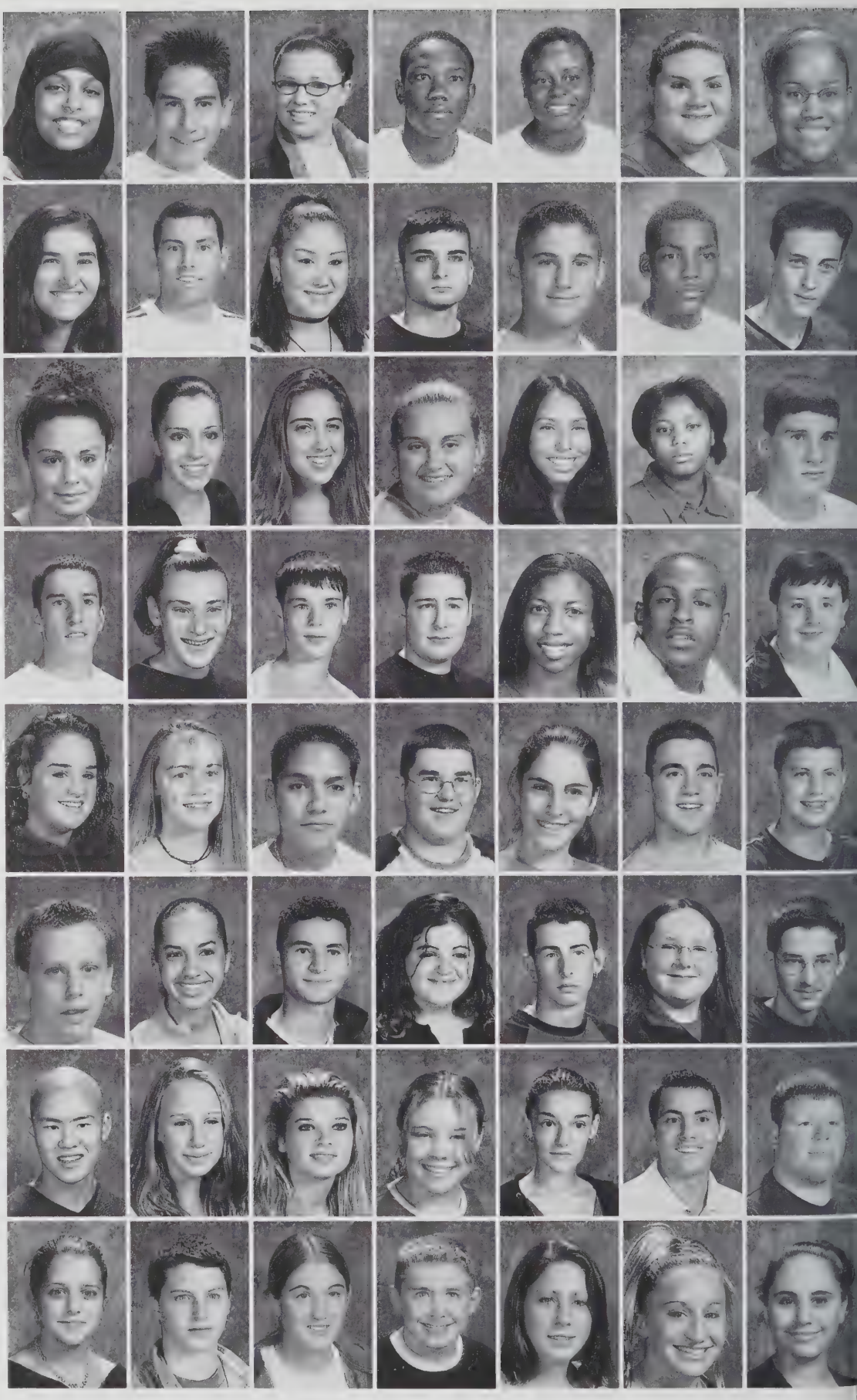
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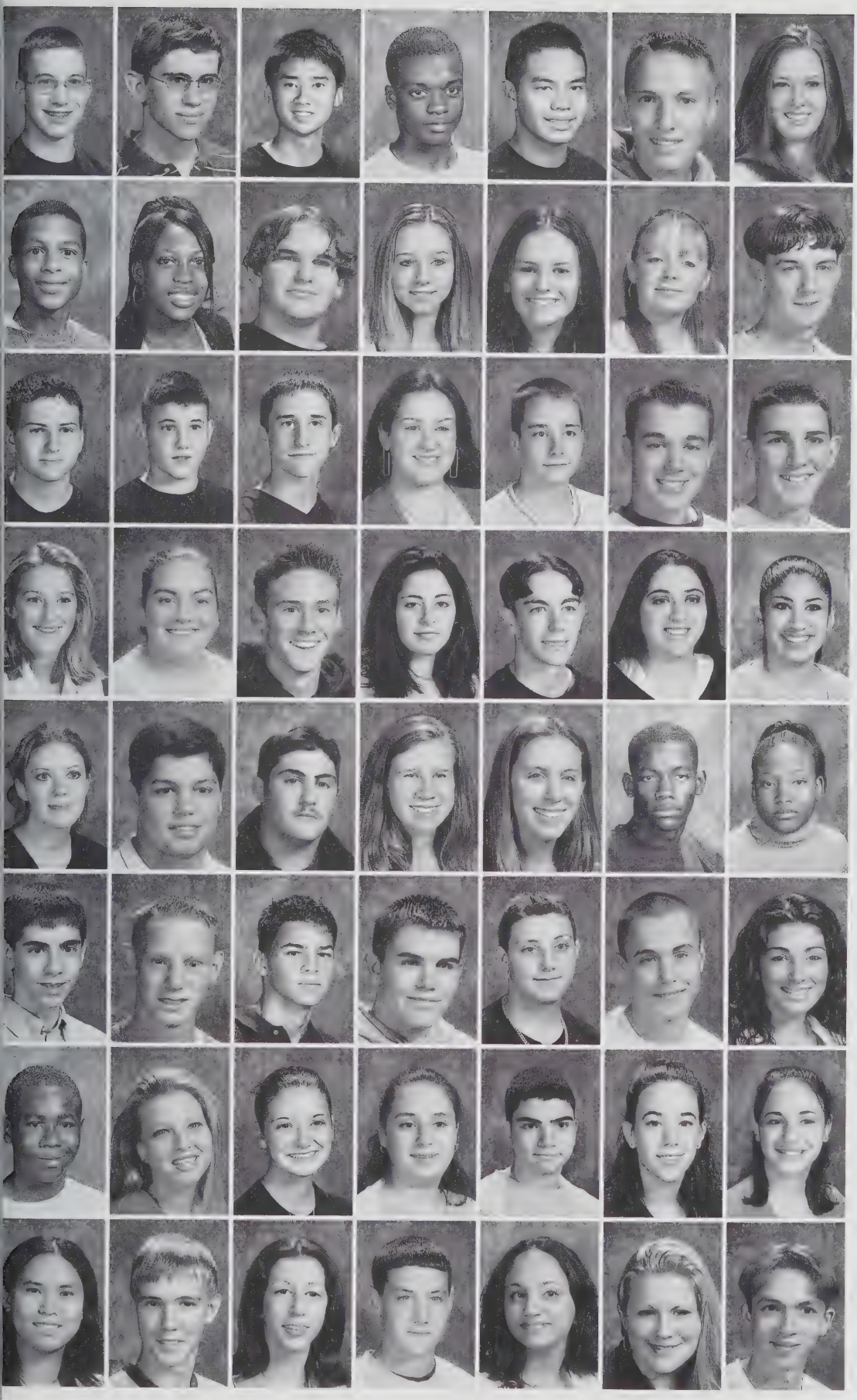
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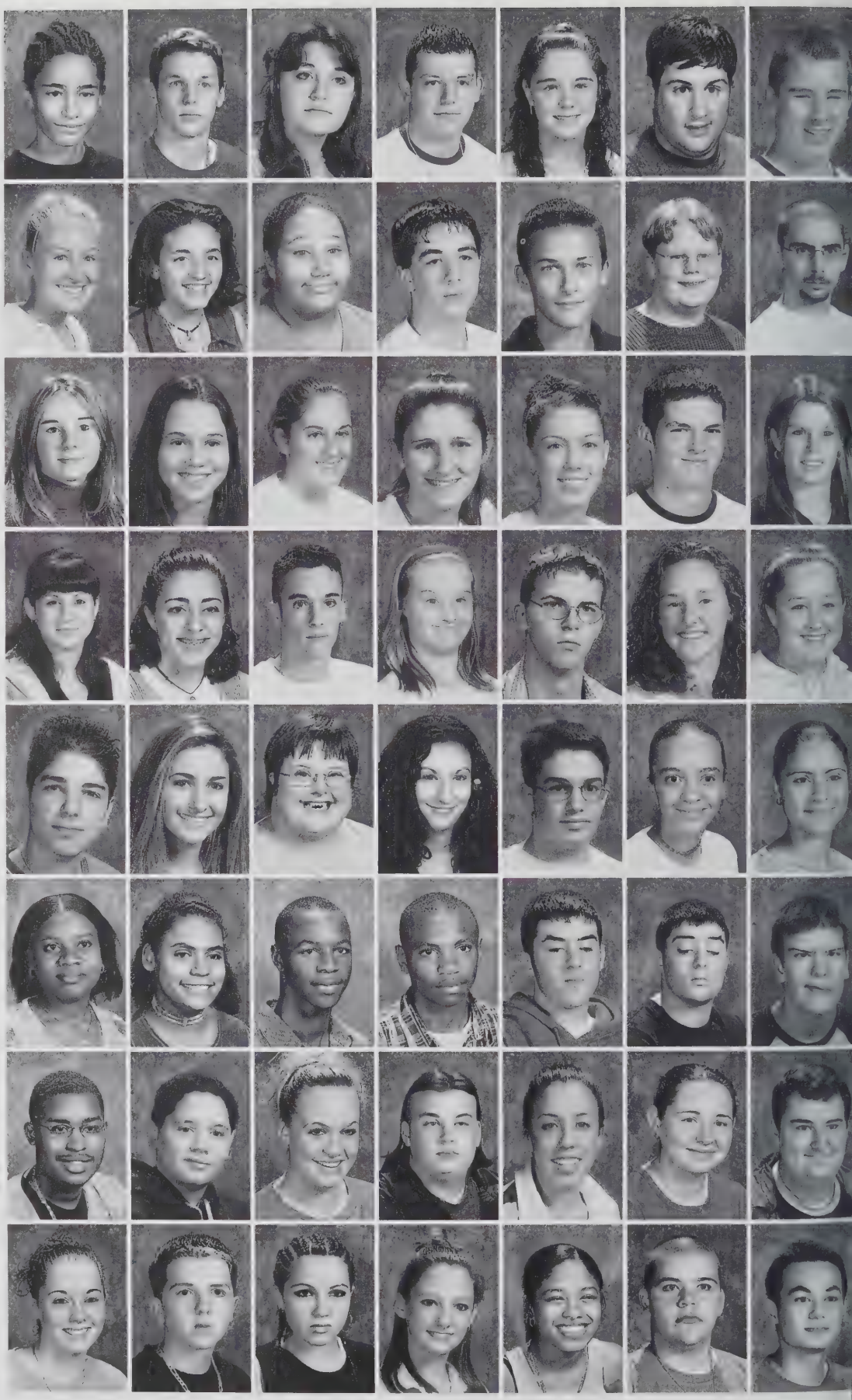
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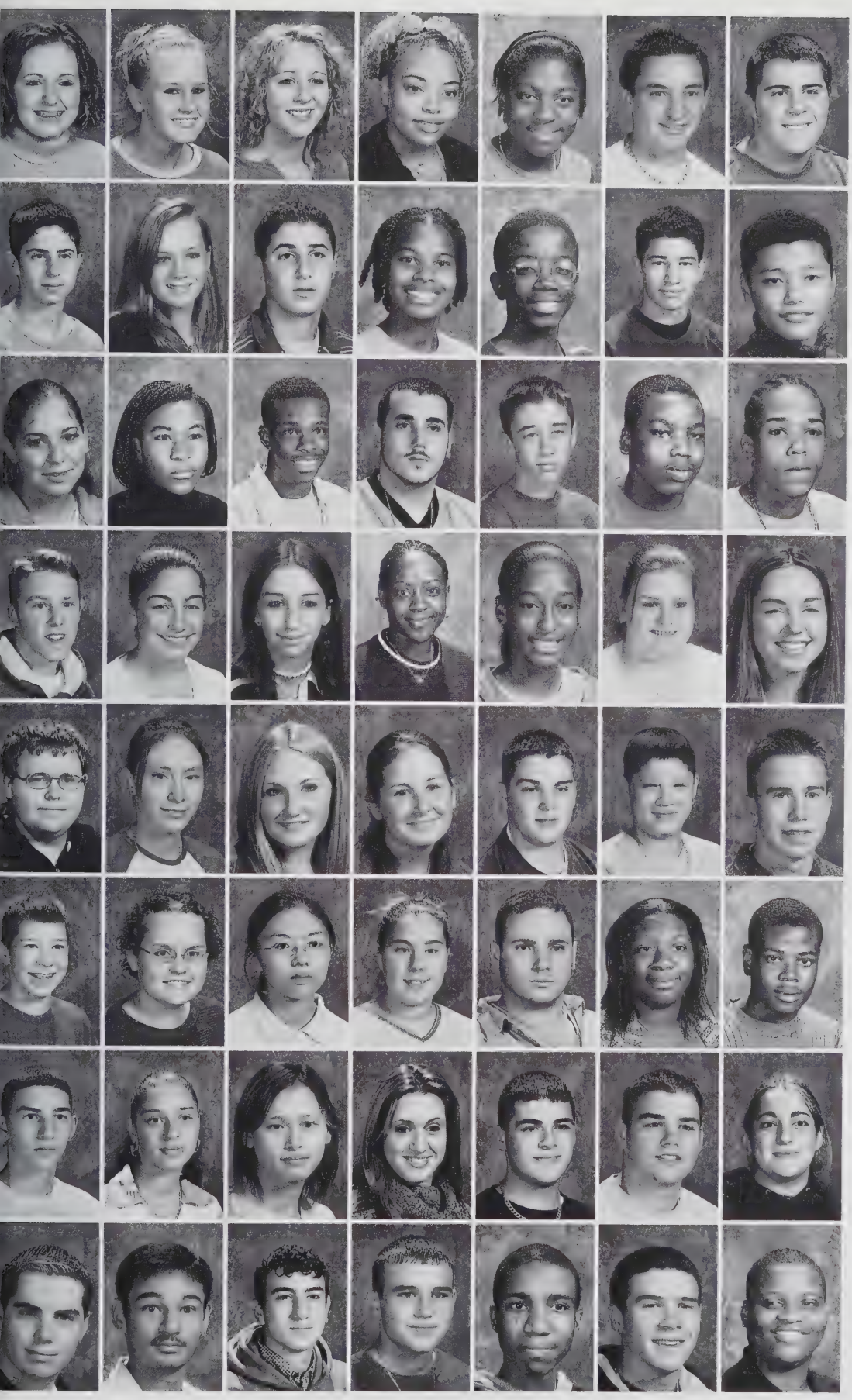
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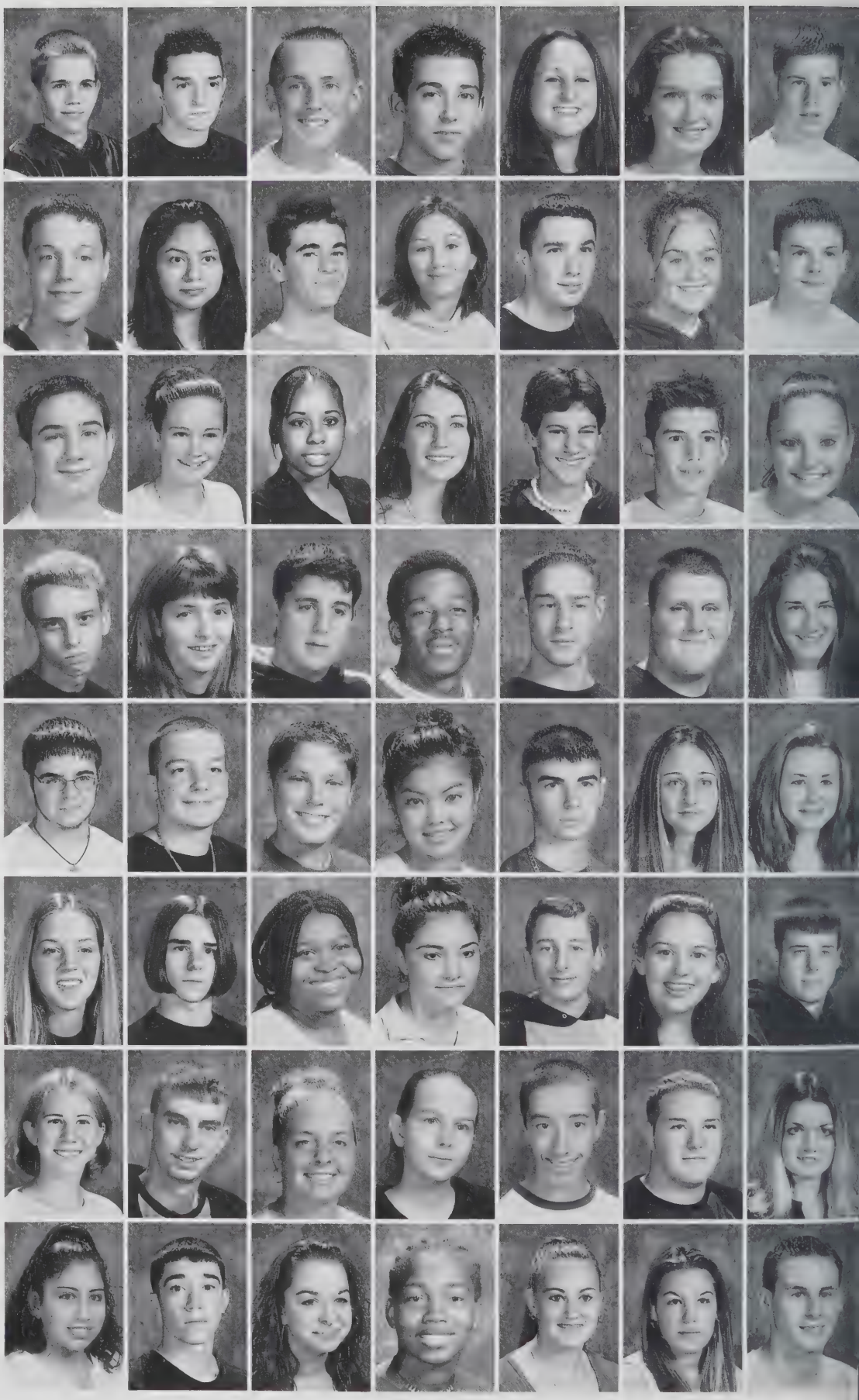
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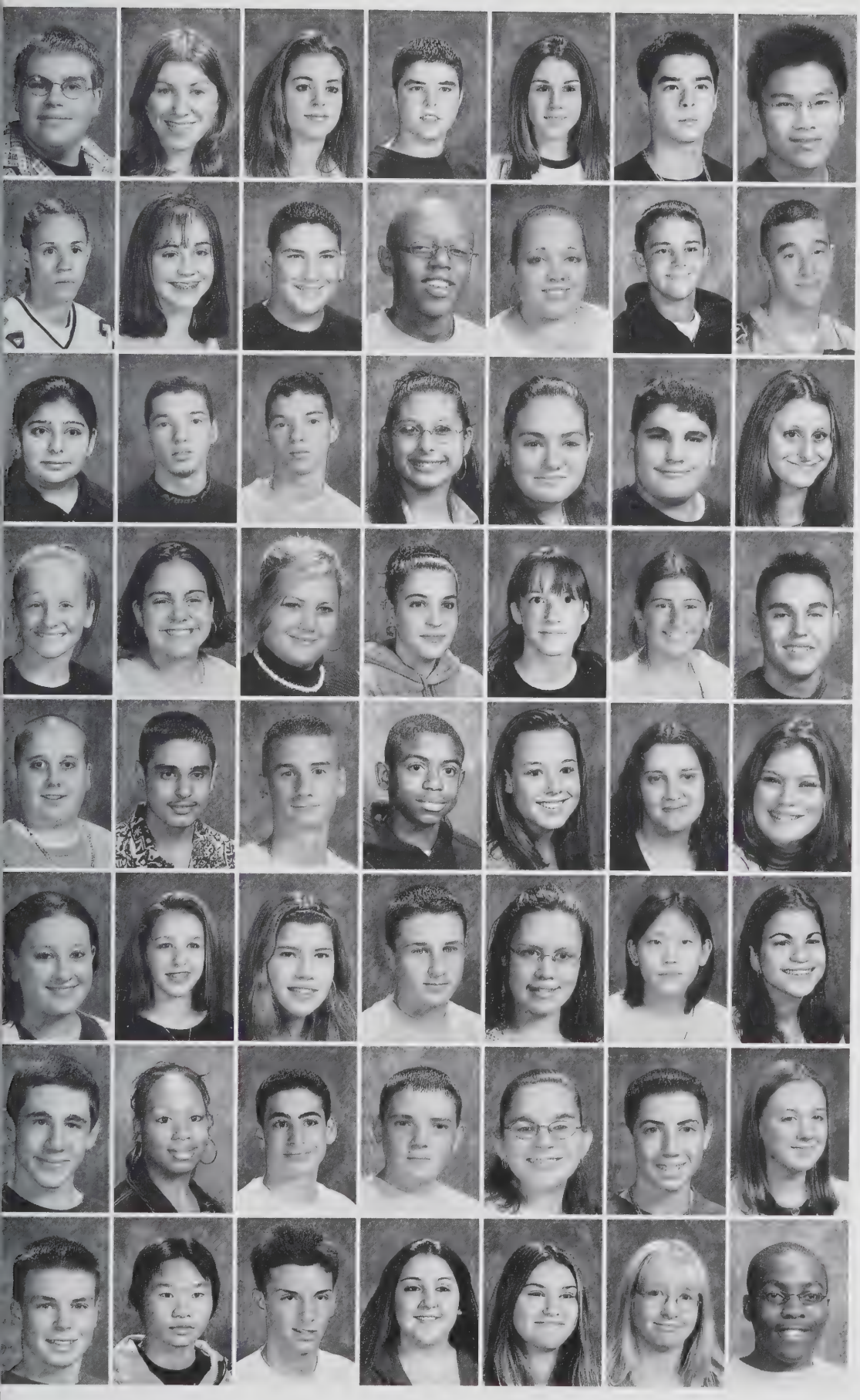
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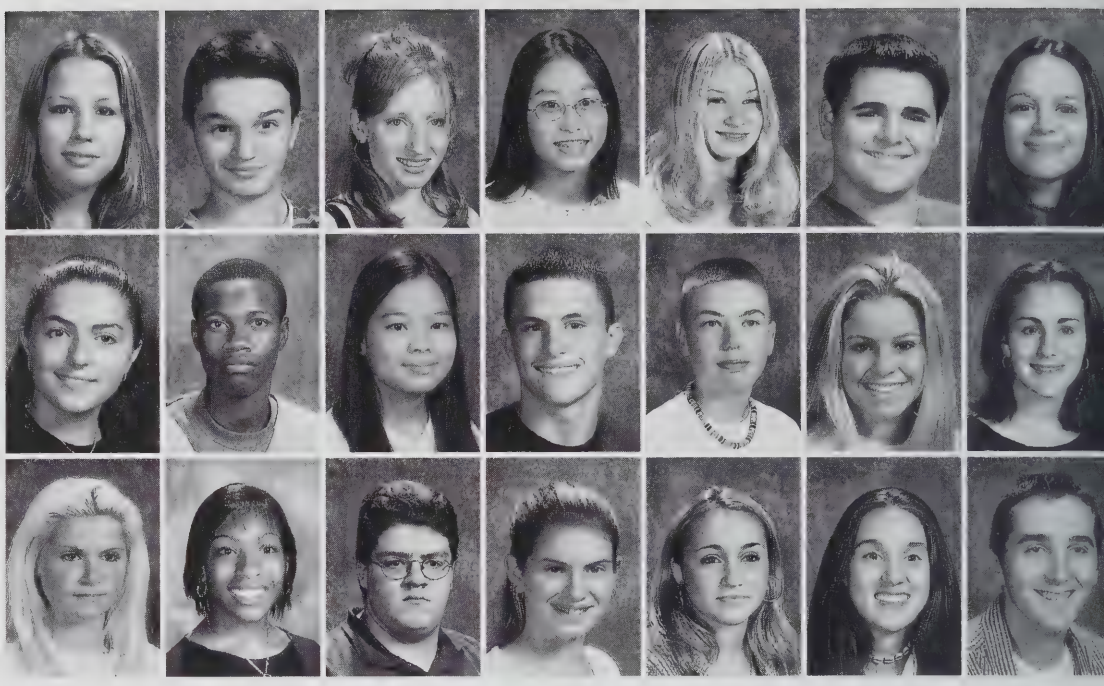
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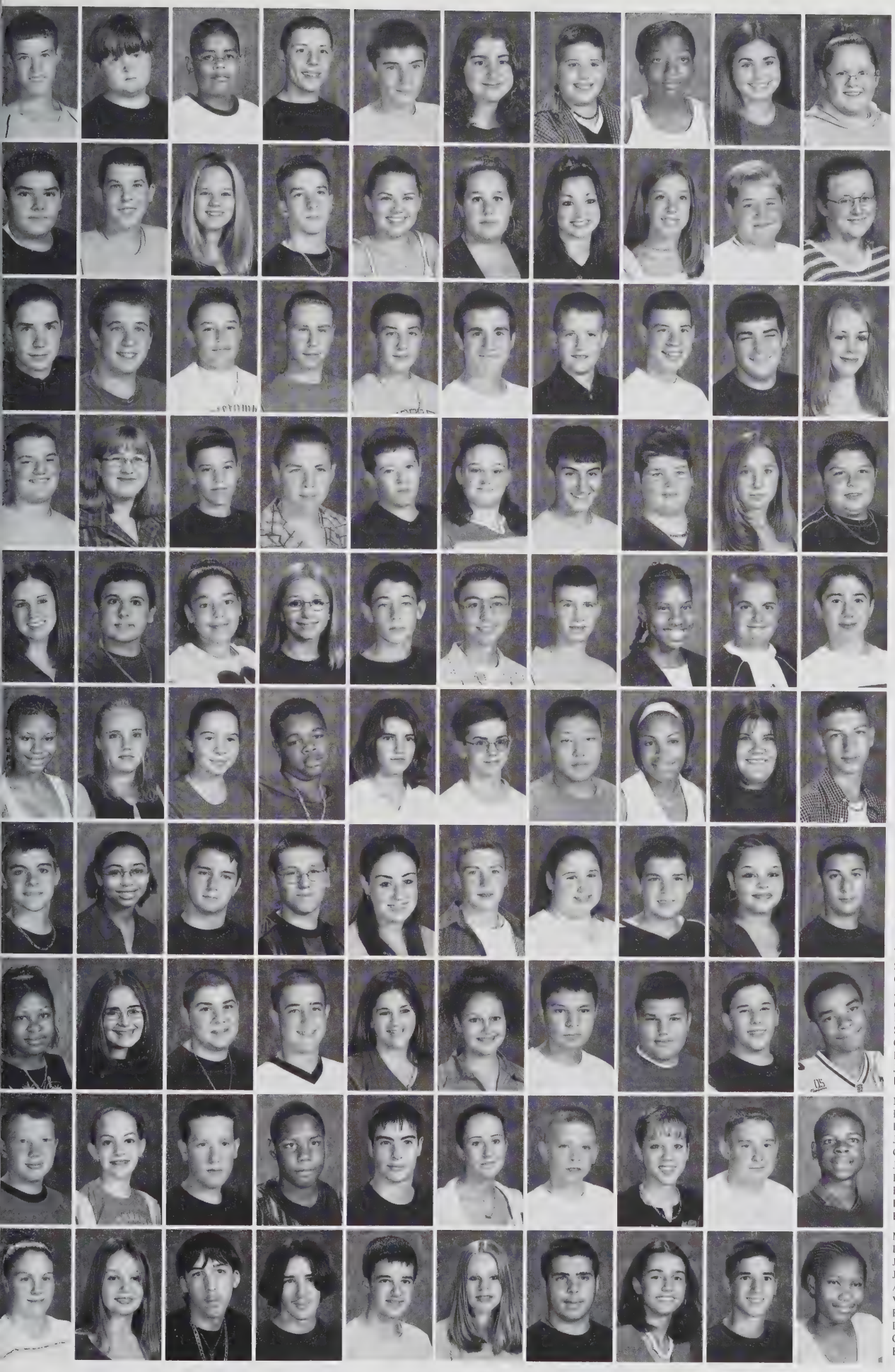
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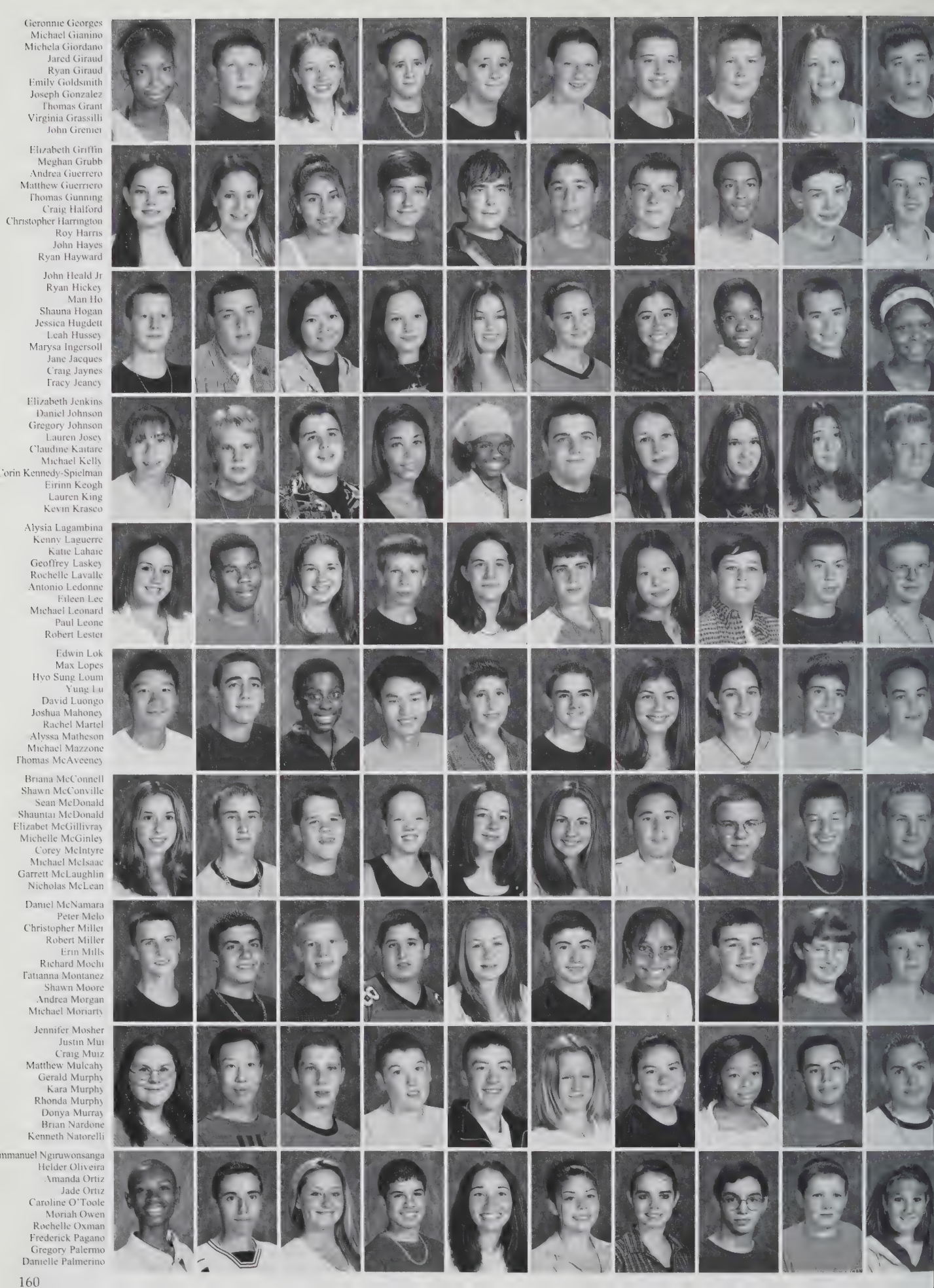
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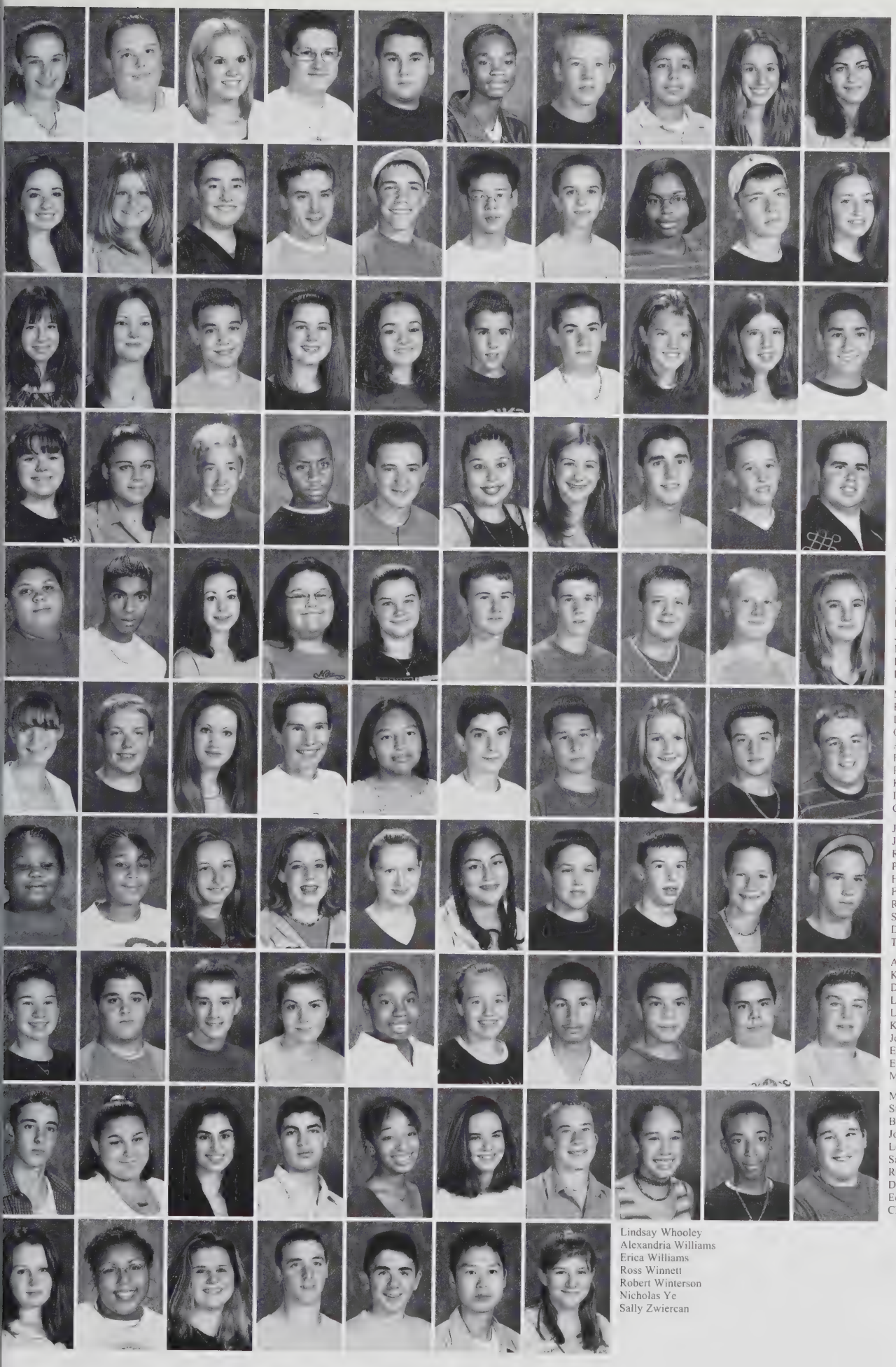
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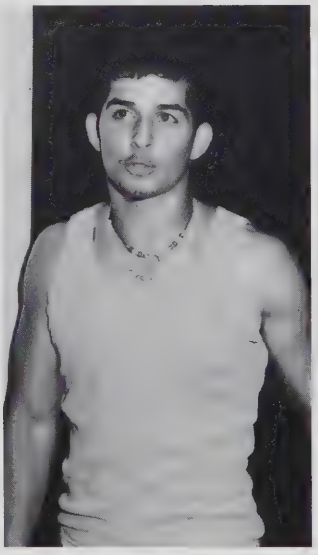













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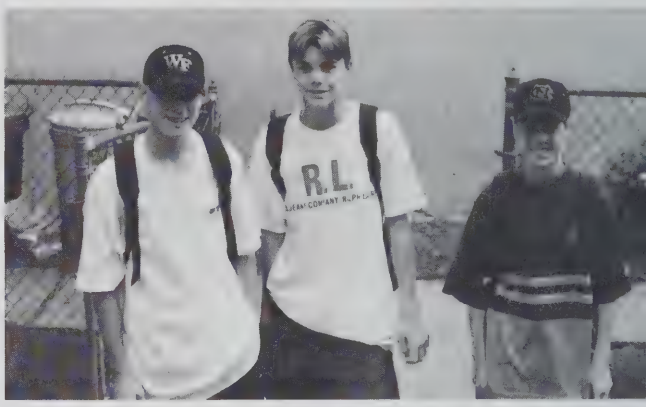











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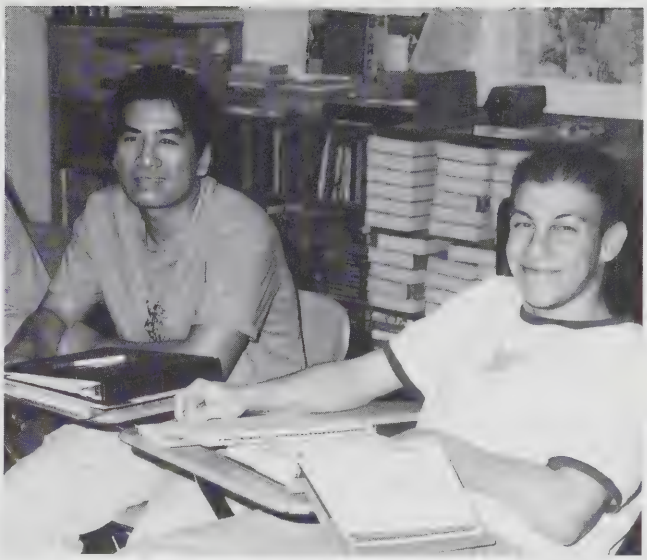


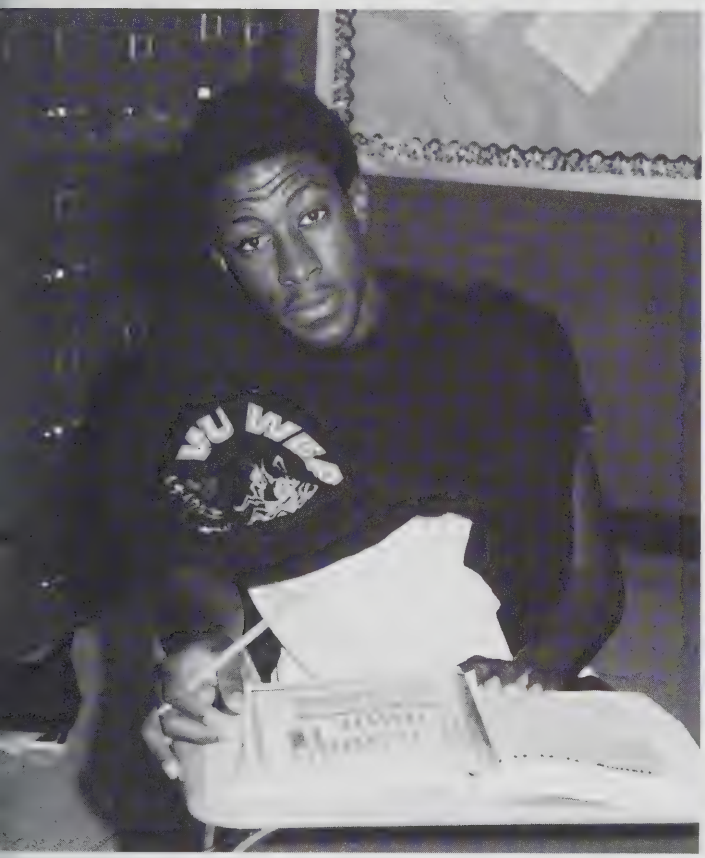










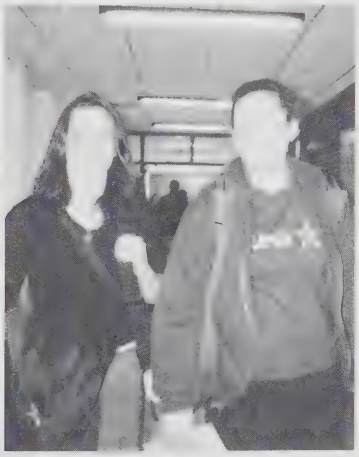

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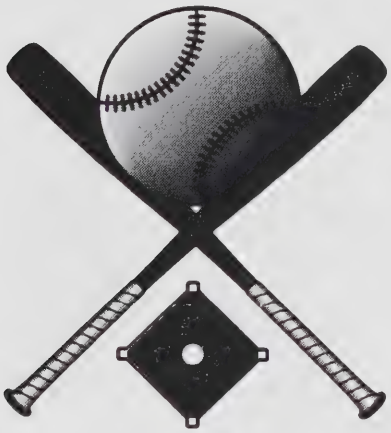
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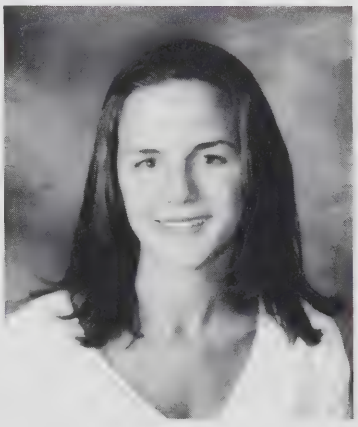
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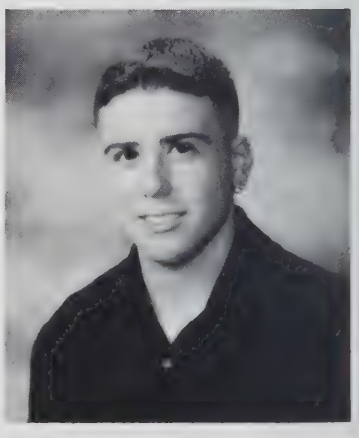
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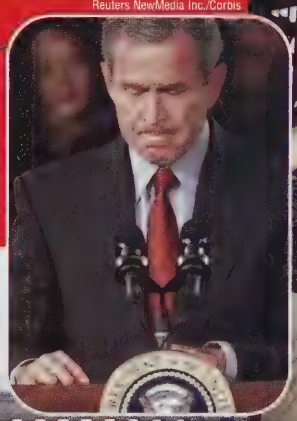
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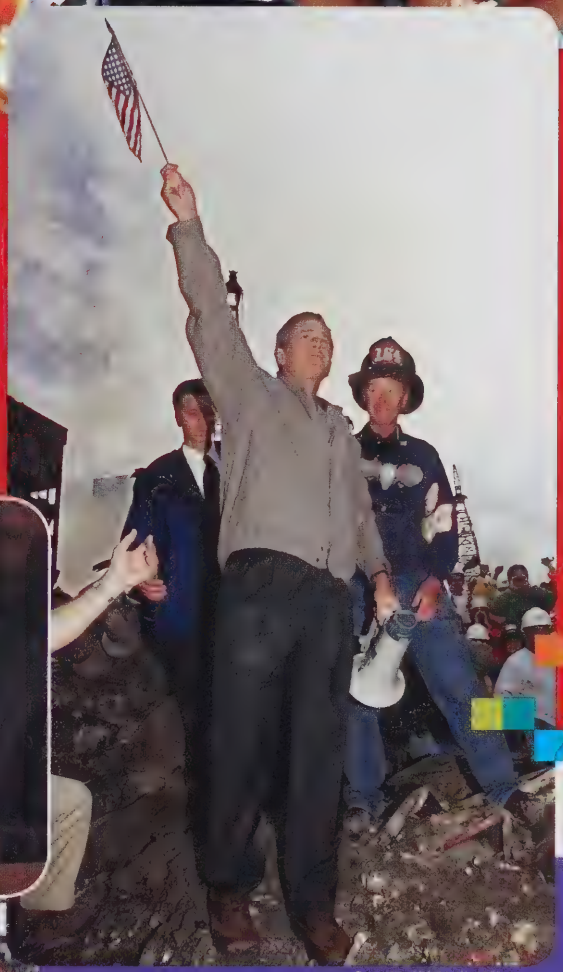
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—President George W. Bush



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← California residents endure drastic electricity shortages in the fall. To support energy conservation measures Jay Leno stages an "unplugged" episode of NBC's "The Tonight Show."

→ Democrats gain majority control of the Senate for the first time since 1994 when Vermont Senator James Jeffords leaves the Republican Party because of his opposition to President Bush's agenda.



↙ Argentina's economy collapses, sparking deadly anti-government protests and looting as the country reaches an unemployment rate of 18% and a budget deficit of $11 billion.

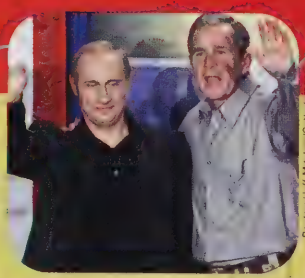
↓ During a year marked by economic recession, Americans open their hands, and wallets, to much-anticipated IRS rebate checks.





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World



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↑ Russian President Vladimir Putin and President Bush agree to cut nuclear missile arsenals by nearly two-thirds. Later, Bush unilaterally pulls out of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty to pursue a missile defense system.

← Americans face armed guards and tighter check-in procedures as airport security restrictions are heightened following the terrorist attacks on September 11.

↑ Japanese Crown Princess Masako gives birth to a baby girl in December. The birth generates fresh debate about male-only succession to Japan's throne.

→ Americans face another form of terror when anthrax-laced letters are sent to members of Congress and the media. Five people are killed in the attacks, and clean-up of government buildings costs millions of dollars.



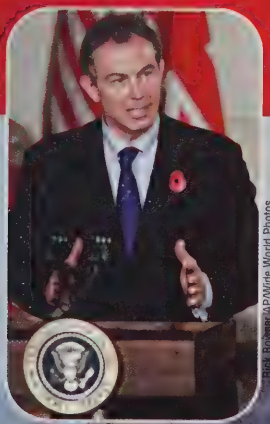
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↑ Violent Israeli-Palestinian confrontations escalate as Prime Minister Ariel Sharon and PLO Leader Yasser Arafat struggle to find an answer to their countries' ongoing hatred for one another.

↓ The U.S. welcomes overwhelming support and aid from dedicated allies in Operation Enduring Freedom, including Great Britain's Prime Minister Tony Blair.



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↑ Former Yugoslav leader Slobodan Milosevic faces the International Tribunal in The Hague for U.N. war crimes, including the murder and persecution of ethnic Albanians in Kosovo.

↓ American Airlines Flight 587 crashes into a Queens neighborhood in New York City on November 12, killing all 255 people on board. Structural failure of the plane's tail assembly apparently causes the tragedy.



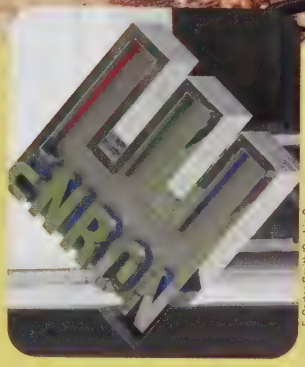
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↑ Twenty-eight youths are arrested for starting bush fires that destroy hundreds of thousands of acres of forest and farmland and kill thousand of koalas and kangaroos in southeast Australia.

↓ Convicted Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh is executed by lethal injection for destroying the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in April 1995, killing 168 people.



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↑ After Houston energy giant Enron collapses, thousands lose their life savings, accounting firm Arthur Andersen encounters accusations of unethical practices, and the General Accounting Office sues the Executive Branch for confidential transcripts in its investigation of the scandal.

↓ U.S. and allied forces mount Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan, driving the repressive Taliban regime from power.

↓ President Bush establishes a new cabinet position, Director of Homeland Security, to coordinate the fight against domestic terrorism. Former Pennsylvania governor Tom Ridge becomes the first incumbent.

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↓ As Operation Enduring Freedom begins, the U.S. military airdrops food rations to the starving people of Afghanistan.



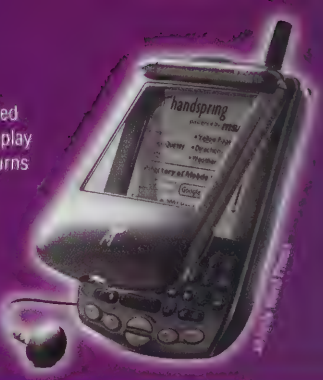
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← In November, stargazers are treated to a spectacular shooting star display as the Leonid meteor shower returns after a 33-year absence.

→ Combination PDAs and cellular phones take portable communication to the next level of convenience.

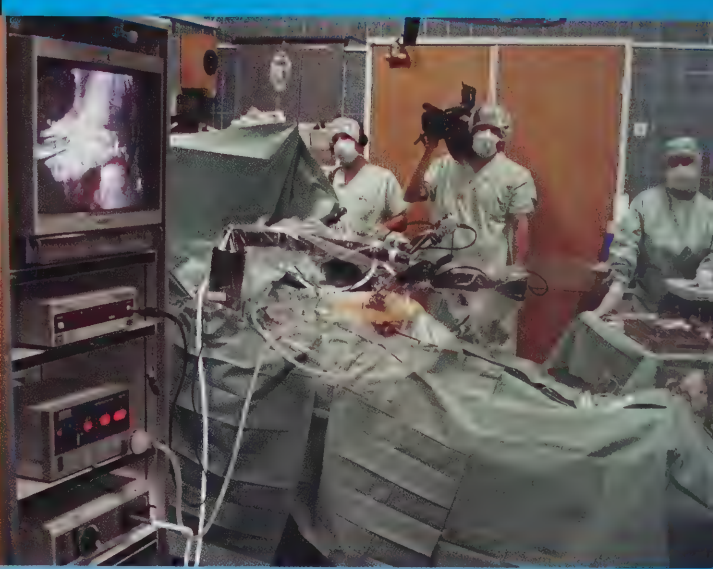


↓ American surgeons in New York perform the first remote control surgery. Signals sent through fiber-optic lines enable robotic surgical arms to operate on a gallbladder patient in France.



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← Researchers at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota, unveil a new technology that uses facial heat patterns to detect lying. Blood flows to the face when a person lies, causing dramatic changes in heat patterns.



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↑ Scientists at Massachusetts General Hospital discover that beauty triggers a brain response in men that is similar to reactions to cocaine and money.

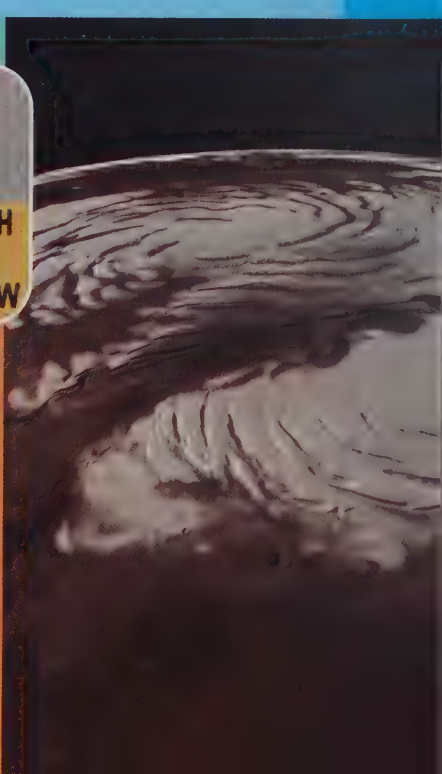
← President Bush approves stem cell research, but only on cells already extracted. The research is highly controversial because extracting the cells kills human embryos.



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↑ Winter weather buffs are left out in the heat as Americans experience record warm temperatures across the country in December and January.

→ Scientists report that vast fields of carbon dioxide ice are eroding from the poles of Mars. Over time, this could possibly prompt the return of water to the Red Planet.



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↑ On November 7, the supersonic Concorde airplane flies for the first time since the July 2000 crash that killed 113 people. Flight F002 travels from Paris to New York in just under four hours.



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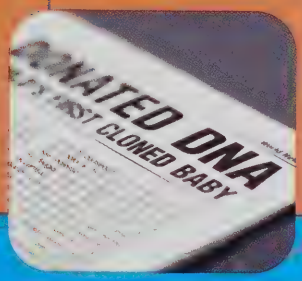
↑ Scientists in Argentina discover several 80-million-year-old unhatched dinosaur eggs with petrified dinosaur embryos inside.



Japan Marine Science and Technology Center

↑ A new class of giant squid is discovered. The new squid can grow to lengths of 25 feet, and has fins and 10 spidery arms with elbows.

↓ Dr. Judson Somerville donates his own DNA to researchers who produce the first cloned human embryo.



↓ Apple releases the sleek new iPod, allowing users to store up to 1,000 digital song files for on-the-go enjoyment.



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↑ The MR2 camera pill allows doctors to examine the inside of the human intestine without surgery. Patients swallow the "pill," which transmits digital images to a data recorder.

↓ The Segway Human Transporter, a gyro-controlled scooter invented by Dean Kamen, is tested by police and postal workers in several states.

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↓ The AbioCor, the world's first fully implantable artificial heart, is given to 59-year-old Robert Tools. Sadly, Tools passes away in December from unrelated causes.

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← The American economy enters a recession in March 2001, and the situation worsens significantly after September 11. Unemployment rises to its highest rate in six years.



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→ Winnie the Pooh, fondly known by countless children and adults as "the tubby little cubby all stuffed with fluff," celebrates his 75th birthday.

↓ Popular shoemaker Vans releases a shoe of a different color—white shoes that turn yellow, pink or blue in the sunlight.









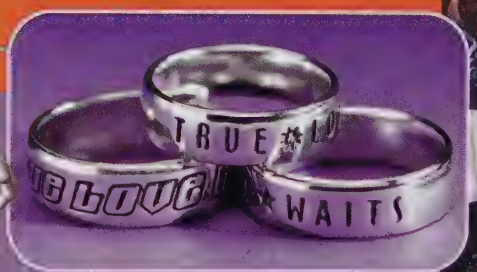


← Summer camps that teach skills to prepare children for the business world become popular with career-conscious kids and parents.

Lifestyle



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↑ M&M/MARS acknowledges the growing Hispanic American population with a new M&M's flavor "dulce de leche," the caramelized sweetened condensed milk mixture popular in Latin America.

↑ Reacting against sexuality in advertising, music and the arts, young men and women across America join the "true love waits" movement.

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← Hollywood pledges support for New York after the September 11 terrorist attacks by making a variety of "I Love NY" fashion statements.



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→ In the new arcade game Dance Dance Revolution, players watch a dance pattern onscreen and duplicate the moves on a corresponding dance floor.



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↑ Hoping to perpetuate its mystique with motorcycle fans, Harley-Davidson unveils the V-Rod, its first new "hog" in a half-century.

↑ The *Journal of the American Medical Association* reports that childhood obesity has reached epidemic proportions thanks in part to larger fast food servings and in-school soda machines.



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↑ Bobbleheads make a comeback, representing not only sports figures but also pop music superstars such as 'NSYNC.

↓ Teens across the country are on a roll with retro style roller skates and the newest fad: shoes with retractable wheels.



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↓ Cover Girl turns lips into a work of art with LipArt. The new fad comes complete with stencils, a freestyle lip brush and 26 shades for creating unique lip designs.



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↑ Extreme soda drinkers receive another huge jolt of caffeine as Mountain Dew introduces its newest beverage—cherry flavored Code Red.



← Topps releases an "Enduring Freedom" card set featuring portraits and bios of many leaders involved, including President Bush and Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld.



↓ At 10:45 a.m. September 11, Fox News Channel introduces the headline ticker. Other networks follow, creating a non-stop flood of headlines. Each "crawl" rotates nearly 80 headlines in a 7- to 15-minute loop.

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← The American flag shows up anywhere and everywhere as patriots across the country display their support for U.S. troops battling in Operation Enduring Freedom.



← Shrek and Donkey, voiced by Mike Myers and Eddie Murphy, hit the theaters to teach a valuable lesson about true love in *Shrek*.

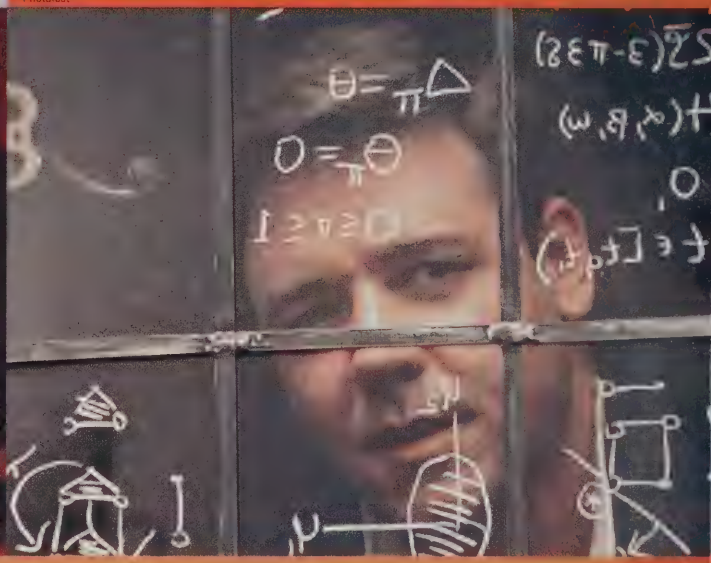
→ MTV, the first television network devoted exclusively to popular music, celebrates its 20th anniversary.

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↙ CBS's "Late Show with David Letterman" helps people cope with their emotions in the weeks after the September 11 terrorist attacks.

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↓ Russell Crowe receives his third straight Oscar nomination for Best Actor with his challenging role as a paranoid-schizophrenic in *A Beautiful Mind*.

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Entertainment



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↑ 1970s Swedish band Abba enjoys revival in the Broadway smash hit *Mamma Mia!* The musical features three intertwined love stories and over 20 of Abba's greatest hits.



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↑ The WB scores a flyaway hit with "Smallville," the story of Superman's high school years. The show stars newcomer Tom Welling as the young Superman.

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← The Emmy Awards for Best Actress and Best Supporting Actress in a Comedy go to CBS's "Everybody Loves Raymond" stars Patricia Heaton and Doris Roberts.



→ Actor Josh Hartnett solidifies his role as a leading man in Hollywood with a pair of blockbuster war movies: *Pearl Harbor* and *Black Hawk Down*.

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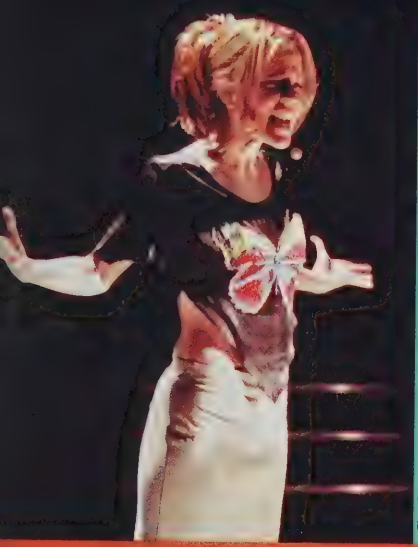
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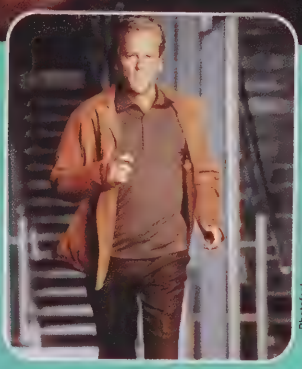
↑ Entertainers and major TV networks come together in historic fashion for the "America: A Tribute to Heroes" telethon, raising over $150 million for September 11 relief efforts.

↓ Nintendo's Gamecube and Microsoft's X-Box enter the video game market to compete with Sony's smash-hit PlayStation 2.

↑ *The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring*, the first movie of J.R.R. Tolkien's fantasy trilogy, receives 13 Oscar nominations including Best Picture.

↓ Steven Spielberg and Tom Hanks collaborate to produce the 10-episode HBO World War II epic *Band of Brothers*, based on the best-selling book by Stephen Ambrose.





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↑ Kiefer Sutherland stars in Fox's Golden Globe winner "24." The show is delivered in two dozen real-time episodes based on one action-packed day in the life of fictional CIA agent Jack Bauer.

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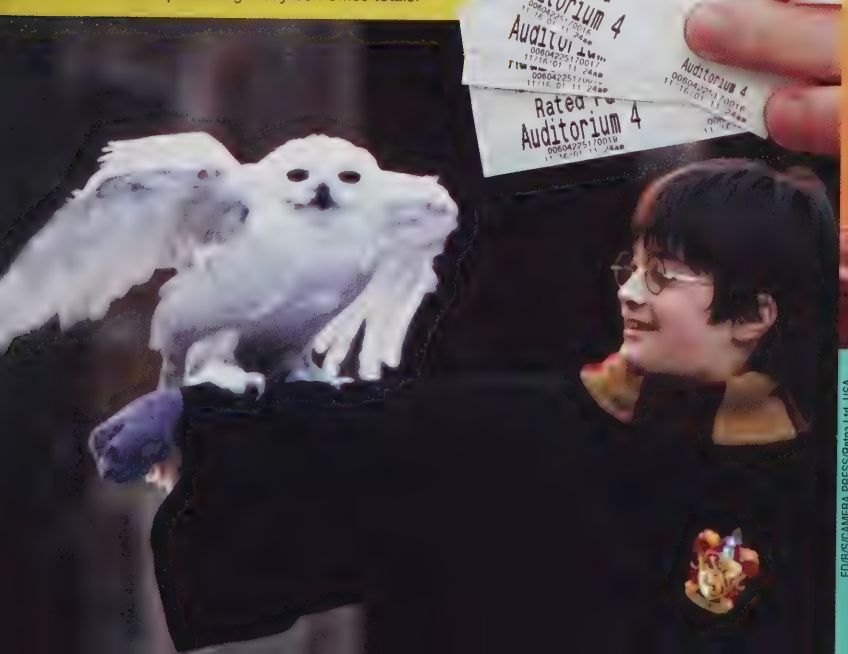
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↑ Popular WB TV series "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" receives rave reviews for presenting an entire episode as a musical.

↓ The highly anticipated movie *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* sets records for opening weekend, and first, second and third place single-day box-office totals.



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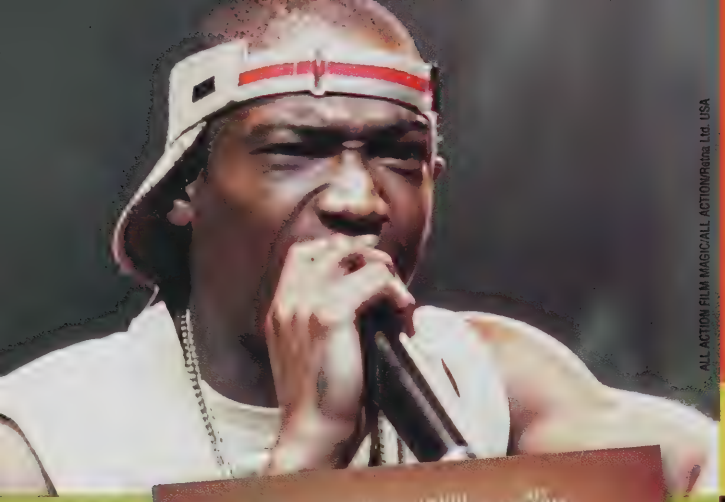
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↑ Sony Pictures, Warner Bros., Universal, MGM and Paramount movie studios discuss the joint creation of Moviefly—the first Internet-based downloadable movie rental system.

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← Popular rapper Ja Rule is nominated for the 2002 NAACP Image Awards Outstanding Hip-Hop/Rap Artist for the song "Livin' It Up."

→ Singer/actress Aaliyah is killed in a private plane crash in the Bahamas. During her eight-year career, Aaliyah released three hit CDs and appeared in several feature films.

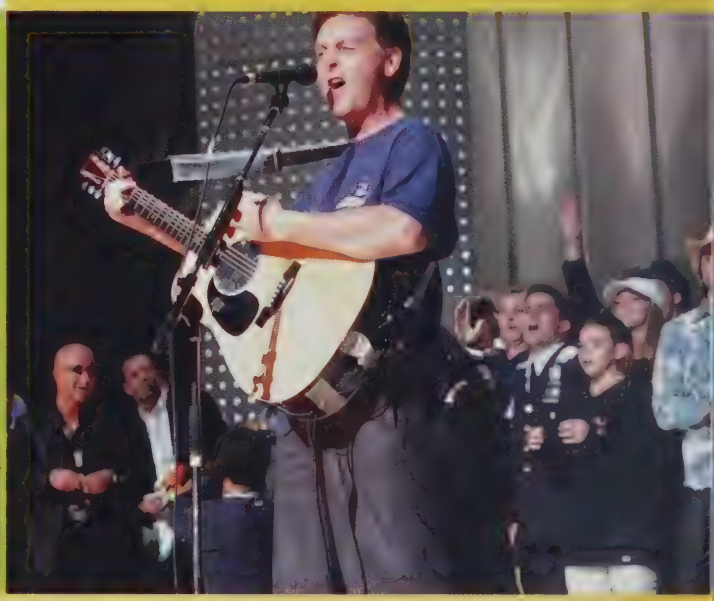


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↓ Musicians join together for several concerts, including The Concert for New York City, to pay tribute to the victims and raise money for recovery efforts after the September 11 terrorist attacks.



↑ The music from the hit movie *O Brother, Where Art Thou?* becomes country music's top-seller for 2001 and receives a Grammy nomination for Album of the Year.



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Music



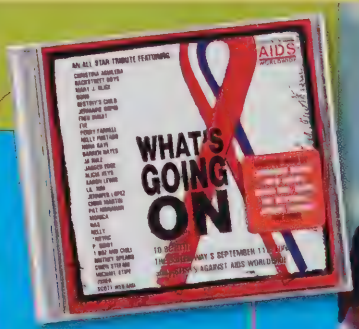
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↑ Neil Young's song "Let's Roll" celebrates the spirit of the passengers who overtook hijackers on Flight 93 in Pennsylvania on September 11.

← Colombian music sensation Shakira brings her high-energy Latin pop to the U.S. with her first English-language album, *Laundry Service.*



↑ To benefit AIDS research and September 11 relief efforts U2's Bono recruits musicians to record Marvin Gaye's "What's Going On." Participating artists include Nelly Furtado, Fred Durst, Gwen Stefani, Moby and many more.

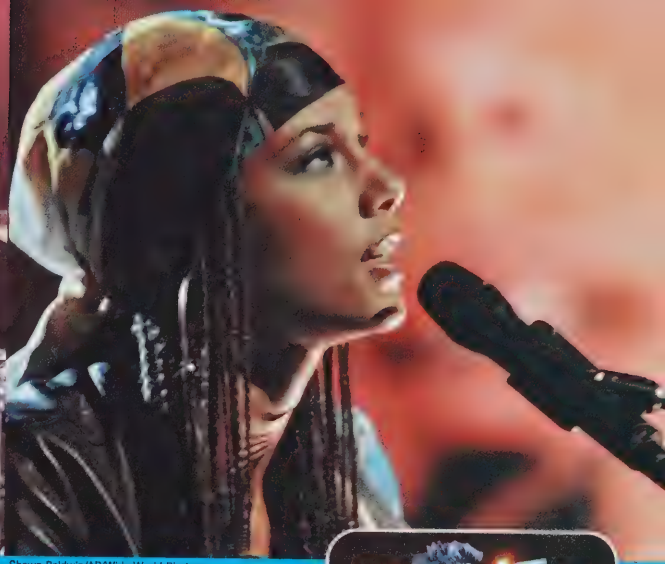
→ Modern rock group Incubus storms onto the music scene with the release of the widely acclaimed album *Morning View.*



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↑ Irish rock group U2's Elevation Tour is the top-grossing tour of the year, earning U2 the title of Band of the Year from both *Spin* and *Rolling Stone* magazines.

↓ Fatboy Slim wins six MTV Video Music Awards for his video for the song "Weapon of Choice," featuring a dancing Christopher Walken.

↑ Alicia Keys wins two American Music Awards for Favorite New Artist in both the Pop/Rock and the Soul/R&B categories for her debut release *Songs in A Minor.*

↓ Country singer Tim McGraw wins five *Billboard* Music Awards, including Country Album of the Year for *Greatest Hits.*

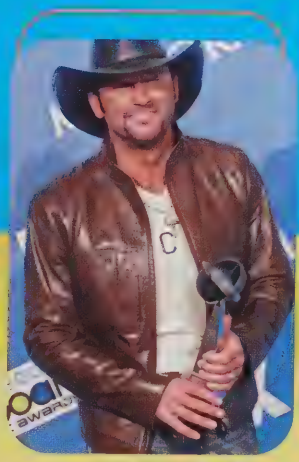


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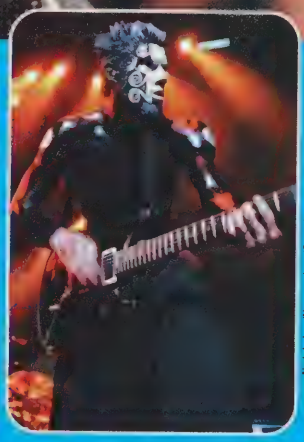
↑ Legendary Beatles' guitarist George Harrison, the so-called "Quiet Beatle," dies after a three-year battle with cancer.



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↑ Limp Bizkit guitarist Wes Borland leaves the band to pursue his own musical career.

↓ Rock bands like P.O.D. use their faith to help bring the Christian rock/pop music message into the mainstream music scene.

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← Australian female string quartet Bond reaches the top of the U.S. classical album charts — despite being blacklisted from the U.K. chart for sounding too similar to pop music.

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← The 14-point underdog New England Patriots shock NFL viewers by kicking a dramatic last-second field goal to upset the St. Louis Rams 20-17 in Super Bowl XXXVI.

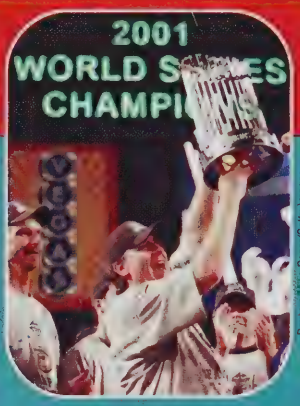
→ Michael Jordan, 38, returns to the NBA with the Washington Wizards. Jordan fills arenas nationwide and propels the previously doormat Wizards to instant respectability with an over-500 record.

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↓ Swedish golf superstar Annika Sorenstam wins the 2001 money title, eight tournaments and Player of the Year, and sets over 30 LPGA records, including the all-time low score of 59.

↑ The Arizona Diamondbacks stun the New York Yankees to win the World Series with a two-run rally in the bottom of the ninth inning of Game 7.

← San Francisco's Barry Bonds makes baseball history with 73 home runs and an astounding slugging percentage of .863—both all-time records.

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Sports



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↑ After her team loses only five games all season, playoff MVP Lisa Leslie leads the Los Angeles Sparks over the Charlotte Sting to win the 2001 WNBA Championship.



Danny Lai/Salt Lake Tribune/Corbis Sygma

↑ Snowboarders Danny Kass, Ross Powers and J.J. Thomas give the United States its first medals sweep in the Winter Olympics since 1956.

← In July, Dale Earnhardt Jr. wins the Pepsi 400 in Daytona, Florida. Ironically, Earnhardt's victory comes on the same track where his father died just five months earlier.

→ In November, NASCAR superstar Jeff Gordon wins his fourth Winston Cup Championship.



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↑ Former Georgia high school homecoming queen Ashley Martin becomes the first female to score in Division 1-AA college football by kicking three extra points for Jacksonville State.



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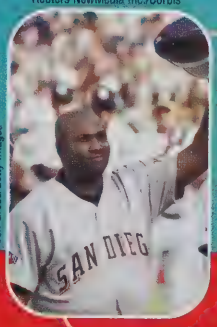
↑ The Colorado Avalanche skate to victory in the 2001 NHL Finals against the New Jersey Devils, marking the first Stanley Cup win for 20-year veteran Ray Bourque.



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↑ In 2001, superstars Kobe Bryant and Shaquille O'Neal propel the Los Angeles Lakers to their second straight NBA title.

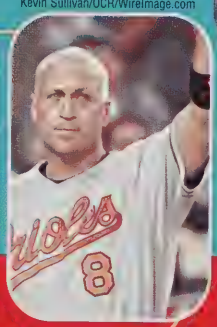
↓ Future Hall of Famers Tony Gwynn, Mark McGwire and Cal Ripken Jr. all retire from major league baseball at the end of the 2001 season.



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↑ The NFL season begins on a tragic note when Minnesota Vikings tackle Korey Stringer collapses at practice and dies a day later from heatstroke complications.

→ America welcomes athletes from all over the world to Salt Lake City, Utah, to compete in the 2002 Winter Olympics.

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↓ On their way to an undefeated season and undisputed NCAA Football national championship, the Miami Hurricanes roll over the Nebraska Cornhuskers 37-14 in the 2002 Rose Bowl.





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↑ In the first Saturday night women's U.S. Open final, tennis ace Venus Williams defeats her younger sister Serena 6-2, 6-4.



← An estimated 350 search-and-rescue dogs brave fire, dehydration, toxic fumes and rubble collapse as they comb the World Trade Center wreckage for survivors and victims.

→ Terrorist mastermind Osama bin Laden tops the FBI's most wanted list for his role in the September 11 terrorist attacks.





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← Sarah Jane Olson, once known as Kathleen Soliah, is charged with domestic terrorism as a member of the Symbionese Liberation Army in the 1970s and sentenced to 20 years to life.

↓ Hired as campus spokesmen for First USA Bank, New Jersey high school seniors Chris Barrett and Luke McCabe become the first students to finance their college educations through corporate sponsorship.



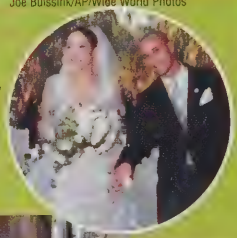
← New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani makes many public appearances in an effort to make New Yorkers and all Americans less afraid to return to normalcy after September 11.

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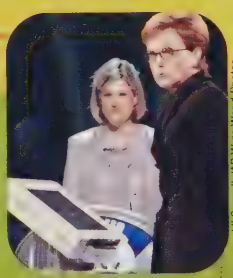


→ Actress/singer Jennifer Lopez marries dancer/choreographer Cris Judd in September.



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↑ Wendy's founder and familiar television figure Dave Thomas succumbs to liver cancer at age 69.



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↑ NBC's TV game show "The Weakest Link" gains popularity thanks to the assertive demeanor of British hostess Anne Robinson.



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← John Walker Lindh, a 20-year-old California native, becomes a prisoner of war after he is found in Afghanistan fighting for the Taliban forces. As a U.S. citizen, Walker may face charges of treason.

→ The future king of England, Prince William of Wales, 19, enters the University of St. Andrews in southeastern Scotland.

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